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WHEN the people of Lyme Regis go to the polls on May 5<sup>th</sup> they will have the biggest number of candidates to choose from since the town council was reduced to 14 members.

No fewer than 20 candidates have put their names forward, including 12 existing members.

In the election for two West Dorset District Council seats, five nominations have been put forward, including the two sitting members – Daryl

#### By Philip Evans

Turner (Conservative) and Pat Hicks (Independent).

The three other district candidates are George Symonds (Conservative), Ann Sargent (Liberal Democrat) and Owen Lovell (Independent).

Mr Lovell, two-times former mayor of Lyme Regis and a leading town councillor, lost his seat at the last district council elections four years ago when he stood as a Conservative and is standing as an Independent, having lost the Tory ticket to Lyme

Regis Amusement Arcade owner George Symonds.

Mr Lovell, Mr Turner and Mr Symonds are also standing for the town council.

As previously reported in the *View From Lyme Regis*, two current members are not seeking re-election – former district councillor Ken Meech and retired journalist David Cozens MBE

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■ **CECIL Quick**, 90-year-old President of the Lyme Regis branch of the Royal British Legion, was one of two Lyme people to receive a West Dorset Local Champions award last week. The other one was Clive Cobb, founder of the Town Mill Bakery.

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**PARAGLIDING** Instructor Andrew Pearce talks to the *View* from this week about why he believes West Dorset is the perfect place to fly. Having grown up in West Bexington, Andrew moved around the county in his career as a teacher before returning to the village.

He now lives with his wife Kim and their three daughters and runs the Flying Frenzy Paragliding school.

Andrew himself competed to a high level as a paraglider, finishing fourth in the British nationals in 1992. He trained as an instructor in 1990 and gained the senior instructor rating in 1993.

When not up in the clouds Andrew enjoys playing guitar and drums.

### ■ WHO would you recommend paragliding to?

You have to want to get a new perspective on the countryside that you love. It is a joy to fly in West Dorset because the countryside is so beautiful. It's open to all sorts of personalities. We have got the cliffs, which are a stunning place to fly and the air coming off the sea is lovely and smooth so if you are a mellow sort of person looking for a nice smooth fly you can stay out there all day long. For those more in to the adventurous stuff they can fly up to 3,000 or 4,000 feet and if you're a real adrenaline junkie then you can do some fantastic manoeuvres as well.

### ■ HOW long could you be up there for and how far can you travel?

Basically all day. One of my friends has managed to fly to Exeter from here and I have managed Honiton and Weymouth. These are small flights by modern standards though, the British record is 195kilometres. It takes a lot longer getting back than it does to fly there usually though.

### ■ WHY paragliding and not hang gliding?

Hang gliding isn't suited to the Dorset Hills. Dorset has so many hills, all different sizes and shapes. With hang gliding you need a big space to land it safely as well but with paragliding you can land it in your back garden. All the hedges make it difficult for hang gliding and it is much more difficult to do.

### ■ HOW long will it take before a complete novice can fly on their own?

The training, if you are really keen and the conditions are good, can be done in a couple of months. It is quite a strict syllabus and you have to be very well informed before you are let loose. And that is my job.



### ■ HOW long are your courses?

It is usually at least 10 days of training, but you have to be really lucky with the weather and conditions. If it spread out over a couple of months then you have to do some recapping.

### ■ CAN you describe the feeling of flying?

It is so nice to leave everything behind. For me, in Dorset, it's usually not too scary, and really relaxing, everything goes quiet and you leave all your worries behind, it's just

bliss.

### ■ WHERE are the best places to fly locally?

Probably my favourite place is over the cliffs at Hive beach at Burton Bradstock. Whenever it's too windy everywhere else, it's often ok there. You can take off on the beach and work your way up the cliff.

### ■ ARE there any places in the world you would like to fly over?

I'd love to fly over a volcano. There are some big dunes in Namibia as well. All you need is a bit of a slope and a bit of a breeze and you can fly anywhere.

### ■ WHO would be your three dream guests at a dinner party?

Leonardo Da Vinci because he has so many ideas but didn't have the technology behind him, so it would be great to bring him up to date. It would be fascinating to talk to the people who lived here when this house was first built about 300-years-ago, to find out what the countryside was like and what their lives were like back then and Tim Booth of the band James, I love their music.

### ■ WHAT would be your dream job?

Teaching people how to paraglide and making money out of it! Teaching people how to glide is brilliant. The first day they are so unsure and don't know what's going to happen but by the end of the day they are actually flying. And they are always absolutely amazed and love the experience.

### ■ WHAT was the last book you read, film you watched and CD you listened to?

The book was the "Ring of Bright Water Trilogy" by Gavin Maxwell. The last film was the "Inglorious Basterds" and the CD was James.

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## Keen contest for Lyme seats

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The existing councillors seeking re-election are: Barbara Austin, Ann Bradbury, Lucy Campbell, Michaela Ellis, Kenneth Hitchcock, Sally Holman, Lorna Jenkin, Owen Lovell, Daryl Turner, Kenneth Whetlor, Peter Williams, Stanley Williams.

The eight new candidates are: Rikay Austin, Stuart Carver, Chris Clipson, Mark Gage, Duncan Lay, Terry O'Grady, George Symonds and Anita Williams.

One of the first tasks for the new council after the elec-

tion on May 5th is to choose a new mayor. The usual procedure is for a mayor-elect to be chosen in March and then installed at the town council's annual meeting in May.

The new council will become effective from May 9th with the annual meeting taking place two days later when the new mayor will be elected. He or she will then be installed at the mayor-making ceremony in the Guildhall on Thursday, May 26th.

It is customary for the mayor to serve for a period of two years and then stand down if there are nominations for others. If there are no nominations, the existing mayor,

Councillor Michaela Ellis, would be able to serve a third term if she so wished and gained the support of the council.

◆ IN Charmouth there will be an election to find a successor to retiring district councillor David Newson. The village's one seat will be contested by Jane Bremner (Conservative), a member of Charmouth Parish Council, and Laura Noel, representing the Liberal Democrats.

There will be no parish council election with not enough nominations to force a contest.

*Election commentary - see Lyme Matters on page 10*

## No election at Uplyme

THERE will be no election in Uplyme, with 10 candidates putting themselves forward for the 10 available seats on the parish council.

All existing councillors have put their names forward again except for long-serving member and former chairman Beryl Denham, mother for former Labour minister and Southampton Itchen MP, John Denham.

Taking Mrs Denham's seat will be new candidate Keith Killingback, husband of Anita Williams, who is standing for election to Lyme Regis Town Council.

Existing councillors who will be returned without a contest are Eric Brown, Jonathan Clarke-Irons, Karen Forrester, Paulene Frost, Brian Mason, Colin Pratt, Chris Sellers, Andrew Turner and Peter Whiting.

■ THERE will be a contest for the East Devon District Council seat that covers Uplyme.

Existing Trinity Ward member Ian Thomas, a Conservative candidate who lives in Ware Lane, Lyme Regis, will be opposed by Liberal Democrat nominee Robert Jordan, who lives at Raymonds Hill.

## 'I did not apologise' says councillor in dispute

LYME Regis Town Council officials will study video evidence to resolve a dispute over whether a councillor "apologised" after being accused of harassment.

Councillor Owen Lovell tabled an agenda item at the March meeting of Lyme Regis Town Council asking his colleagues to consider making a correction to minutes of a meeting held in December.

At that meeting Councillor Lovell was accused of "harassment" by Councillor Sally Lovell when he approached her outside the council chamber over a matter relating to Lyme Regis Development Trust.

Councillor Lovell retorted by saying he had never been accused of harassment in all his years in local government and advised Councillor Holman to "get out the kitchen if she couldn't stand the heat".

There was a reference in the February minutes to Councillor Lovell making an apology. He denied this and asked for the minutes to be corrected.

Councillor Lucy Campbell said she could not remember if Councillor Lovell apologised or not.

And she added: "All I can say to Councillor Lovell is 'get out the kitchen if you can't stand the heat'."

It was agreed to look at the video of the meeting recorded by Lyme Regis TV before making a decision on Councillor Lovell's request.

## No Combpyne contest

WITH only seven candidates putting their names forward for the nine seats, there will be no election at Combpyne-Rousdon Parish Council.

Those who will be elected automatically will be: Judith Ellard, Mary Jones, Royston Jones, Bill Moore, Martin Platts, Kevin Salet and Michael Stride.

The council will be able to co-opt two new members after the May 5th election.

## Parking charges up by 70p per day

PARKING charges in the West Dorset District Council car parks in Charmouth Road and Holmbush are to rise from £1 a day to £1.70 a day.

Town councillors asked WDDC to make a bigger increase so that the increased revenue could go towards helping to fund the Marine Theatre but were told the money could not be earmarked solely for Lyme Regis.

At the March full council meeting, Councillor Lorna Jenkin said there were other ways of dealing with the money from an accountancy point of view and asked district councillor Daryl Turner to investigate.

## County to deal with slippery pavements

DORSET County Council have agreed to find a solution to slippery pavements in Broad Street, local town councillors have been assured.

A complaint about the slippery surface of inlaid brick features of the town centre pavements was raised at a recent town council meeting by local resident Terry O'Grady.

He told councillors that the pavements were lethal, especially when it was raining.

County Councillor Colonel Geoffery Brierley, speaking at the March full meeting of the council, said the county engineer's department had looked at the problem.

One idea was to scarify the stones in the pavements, he said.

## Too big an area for police team to cover

LYME'S county councillor Colonel Geoffery Brierley is "going into battle" to fight changes to the operational duties of the town's successful Safer Neighbourhood Team.

Colonel Brierley told the March meeting of Lyme Regis Town Council that the safer neighbourhood teams in Dorset were being reorganised, the decision having been made without discussion.

The Lyme team, led by PC Richard Winward, recently voted Dorset's best community policeman, would have to take over Charmouth and parts of the Marshwood Vale.

Colonel Brierley thought this was too large an area for the Lyme team. He added: "I do not think it will work so I am going into battle. This is not finished yet."

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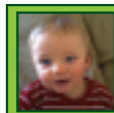
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*Paul Carter Happy 4? Birthday. Wishing my husband a happy birthday. Love always, Sally x*



**To Keiron, Happy 1st Birthday. Lots of love, Auntie Jane, Uncle Mick, Thomas and Charlotte xx**



**To Keiron, With lots of love on your first birthday! Love you, Uncle Andrew and Auntie Tanya xx**



**Keiron, Sending loads of love, hugs and kisses on this special day. Happy 1st Birthday, love from Ashleigh, Abi and Emily xxx**



**To Thomas, Happy 4th Birthday for 11th April, Lots of Love Always, Mummy xxxxxxx**

**Happy Birthday Fred Cuss, from all at Bridport Disabled Carers and Friends Club**



**Keiron Oliver Scott, Happy 1st Birthday sweetheart. Have a lovely day, lots of love and kisses, Nan xx**



**Keiron Oliver Scott, Happy 1st birthday little man. Lots of hugs and kisses, Auntie Tracy, Uncle Gary, Liam and Callum xx**



**Keiron Oliver Scott, Happy 1st Birthday! Have a fab day! Lots of love, Auntie Becca xx**



**Happy Birthday to Keiron. lots of love and kisses, from Grandad**



**Happy 16th Birthday Sophie Turner! Love Mum, Dad and Kelly xx**

**Mark Wellman, Happy Birthday on the 7th April. Lots of Love, Lauren, Ryan and Jack xxx**

**Happy Birthday Daddy! Lots of Love from Kaitlyn xxxx**

**Happy Birthday to the best husband ever!! Mark Wellman, with all my love, Emma xxx**



**Darling Lily! Happy 2nd Birthday for the 14th**



**Thomas Michael Baker. Happy 4th Birthday. Lots of love and kisses from Nana, Grandad and Nanny Mary. XXXXXX**



**Thomas Michael Baker. Happy 4th Birthday. Lots of love and kisses from Auntie Tracy, Auntie Anne and Uncle James XXXXXX**

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## View from Westminster by Oliver Letwin MP

# The responsibility of making judgements

THERE are times in your life when you realise the implications of the choices you have made.

One of these came to me a couple of weeks ago, when I found myself involved in the discussions at the National Security Council and Cabinet that led to the UK's role in the international Libyan intervention.

It isn't until you find yourself sitting at meetings like this that you realise fully what it means to be part of a government.

When a decision to act - or a failure to act - will quite directly affect the chances of survival of tens if not hundreds of thousands of people (in this case, a large part of the civilian population of Benghazi), you come face to face with the fact that you have taken on an awesome responsibility.

The interesting thing is that, if my recent experience is anything

to go by, such decisions are not taken in the way that the cynics would have us believe.

Of course the judgements involved are very finely balanced and very difficult to make. But at least I can testify that - if this case is, as I suspect, the norm - the basis on which the decision gets made is entirely a question of what is right or wrong.

When you have come to the conclusion that there is a real chance of persuading the international community to act in a way that will prevent mass slaughter, and when you have also come to the conclusion that this will happen only if we in Britain actively pursue that strategy, then you find yourself compelled by the moral logic, not by political calculations.

I don't mean, of course, that this in any way guarantees that the right decision will be made.

The judgements are too difficult to permit any such guarantee.

But at least it is reassuring to know that the question being asked is the right one. In the end, liberal democracy stands or falls even more by the questions it asks than by the answers it gives.



## Hotspot for Weldmar lottery winners

NOT ONLY did one lucky Dorchester supporter of Weldmar Hospicecare Trust scoop the top prize of £1,000 in their Weekly Prize Draw in February, but in the draw on Friday March 18th another resident of the town did the same.

Weldmar Hospicecare Trust, which cares for patients throughout north, west and south Dorset run their draw in collaboration with St Margaret's Hospice who provide a similar service across Somerset. This keeps admin costs to a minimum ensuring that as much as possible from ticket sales goes towards caring for our patients.

Caroline Nickinson at Weldmar said: "Tickets are sold throughout Dorset and Somerset and it is wonderful that two Dorchester residents have been lucky enough to win the first prize within a month".

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### Royal wedding trophy up for grabs in annual Easter Bonnet Parade

THE annual Easter Bonnet Parade in Lyme Regis will have a special royal wedding twist this year, with a new, commemorative trophy up for grabs for the best royal wedding-theme hat.

As well as the usual Easter theme bonnets, judges are hoping some entrants will decorate their hats especially for the big day, which will be held just a few days after the parade.

There will also be cash prizes for the usual categories of: 0-3 years, 4-5 years, 6-7 years, 8-10 years, 11-15 years, ladies, gentlemen and group/couple.

Best overall will also win the Tree Tops Cup.

The parade will be held on Easter Sunday, April 24th. Entrants should arrive at Lyme Regis Baptist Church at 1.30pm for judging at 2pm.

The procession will then be led by Lyme Regis Junior Band, and followed by Lyme Regis Majorettes, down Broad Street to Theatre Square at 2.30pm, and the presentation of prizes will be held at 3pm.

Sponsors of this year's parade are Colin and Judith Potthecary, Gail Caddy from the Rock Point Inn, Staples Stores, Pop Goes The Weasel, Tree Tops Nursing Home and Chicks Computers of Combpayne.



■ **ROYAL SILVERWARE:** The new royal wedding trophy, up for grabs in this year's Easter Bonnet Parade

### Share your wedding photos for the big day

ST Michael's Parish Church in Lyme Regis will host a wedding exhibition to celebrate the royal wedding on Bank Holiday Friday, April 29th.

The church is appealing for wedding photos, especially of Lyme weddings, which can be copied and displayed.

Organisers hope to also display other wedding items and royal memorabilia.

Stewards will be in the church during all opening times of the exhibition.

To offer photos or any other help, contact Anne Sankey on 01297 442558.

## Memorial clock should be 'repaired not replaced'

A LYME Regis councillor has lost his battle to get the memorial clock that used to be attached to the central pavilion of the Marine Parade shelters repaired rather than replaced.

Councillor Daryl Turner has told Lyme Regis Town Council that the clock, paid for by public subscription to commemorate those men from Lyme who gave their lives in the Second World War, was an official war memorial and was governed by stringent criteria.

The council is intending to replace the clock with a new timepiece as part of the regeneration of the shelters.

But Councillor Turner has campaigned for the original clock to be repaired instead of replaced and claimed that members of the Lyme Regis branch of the Royal British Legion were split over the issue.

A report on the clock went before town councillors stating that a sum of £10,000 had been included in the shelters budget for a new clock plus £2,000 for the manufacture of a new bracket.

It has been agreed, however, to remove the clock from the shelters contract for the town council to pursue refurbishment or replacement. Experts were consulted and quotations of £4,291 for refurbishment or £4,835 for replacement were received.

The council then approached the Lyme branch of the Royal British Legion who voted in favour of a new rather restored clock.

Councillor Turner maintained at a previous meeting that the decision should have been made by the town council and not the Royal British Legion and no decision had been made by councillors.

Councillor Stan Williams told the March meeting that he looked after the clock for many years and it was completely rusted out. There were no parts of the original clock left as they had all been replaced.

Councillor Turner said he would still like the original dials to be included.

Councillor Ken Hitchcock said he worked for the council for 30 years and was called on to mend the clock many times. He believed it would be a waste of time repairing the old clock.

Councillor Turner said that such advice should come from an expert and "not a handyman".

He reminded members that the clock was erected in memory of the men of Lyme who had lost their lives in

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the war, adding: "It is part of our history."

Councillor Lorna Jenkin pointed out that the Royal British Legion represented those men who lost their lives and, out of respect to them, they should go along with the legion's advice and replace it.

Councillor Lucy Campbell agreed that the legion's wishes should be respected but she agreed the decision should have been made by the council.

The Mayor, Councillor Michaela Ellis, thought it was important to have a clock that was working all the time.

Councillor Turner reiterated that the council had never voted on the matter.

Town clerk Mike Lewis apologised for not bringing the matter back to council after consulting with the Royal British Legion. He accepted it was a very sensitive issue but the matter had been fully discussed by the shelters working group.

Councillor Ken Meech commented: "Can we cut through all the red tape and do something decent for the men who gave their lives?"

It was agreed to replace the clock but to make sure the original plaque is displayed on the outside of the regenerated shelters. A further description explaining the history of the clock will be placed inside the shelters.

### Malthouse complete

RESTORATION of the Town Mill Malthouse in Lyme Regis is now complete thanks to the generosity of local individuals and organisations.

The main part of the building is now regularly being rented out, with over 60 per cent occupancy, for a range of events including art exhibitions, workshops, singing groups, wedding receptions, parties and musical evenings.

However, the Malthouse has become unexpectedly available for most of April and anyone interested in booking it during this peak period should contact the Town Mill on 01297 443579 or email info@town-mill.org.uk as soon as possible.

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# Council to re-think seafront policies

LYME Regis Town Council is to review some of its enforcement policies for the Marine Parade, including the problem of vehicular access along the seafront.

The Organisational Management Sub-Committee discussed the Marine Parade's vehicular access after receiving a quarterly report from the council enforcement officers.

Councillor Stan Williams, who has always spoken openly about wanting no vehicles on the Marine

Parade, said the council needed to sort out problems of unauthorised vehicles using the seafront.

"Some people think all vehicles are allowed on the Marine Parade between 11am and 4pm. This is not right," he said.

Councillor Williams pointed out that the council would soon have two more premises on the seafront, when the shelters re-opened in June.

He added: "We need to stop this now. No one from premises at the Cobb end

by Francesca Evans

should be coming through the barriers, it's just not necessary."

## Assurance on keys

Councillor Ken Meech said: "This has always been a problem for as long as I can remember and we have never managed to sort it."

The deputy town clerk, Simon Ratcliff, assured councillors that the only people who had been

given keys to the Marine Parade barriers were contractors for the shelters project and private development Largigi – the former Bay Hotel Annexe.

He suggested that vehicular access policies should be reviewed by the Strategy and Policy Committee, giving thought to the impending tripartite agreement, which will split responsibilities of Lyme's

seafront between the town council, West Dorset District Council and Dorset County Council.

Councillors also discussed policies regarding buskers and pedlars in the town, following reports that artists had been selling paintings from beach huts.

Councillor Williams said he had received complaints that paintings were being sold from the council-owned beach huts on the Cart Road.

He said: "I've had a couple of complaints about

someone actually using one of our beach huts for selling paintings. Several artists have rented beach huts for the winter and they were putting a whole line of paintings outside.

"Everyone knows that I object to people selling things on the seafront, so people have obviously come to me to complain."

Councillor Peter Williams added that he had seen paintings displayed across the front of four beach huts.

Councillor Stan Will-

iams added: "I would not want to object to them painting but, on the other hand, I'm getting a battering by people complaining that they're selling."

## Creating crowds

"It's not so much of a problem in the winter but when we have a lot of people along there in summer, they will create crowds of people and cause problems like the stone balancing."

Mr Ratcliff, said he would put the issue to the enforcement officers and decide what to do from

there.

He clarified: "We have a busking policy but pedlars come under a very different category. They receive licences from the police and can use them anywhere in the country."

"We spoke to the police about it last summer. Pedlars have to keep moving, they cannot just stay in the same place, but it's a police policy not a local authority policy."

## CAMPAIGNERS 'STILL FIGHTING HARD' TO SAVE LIBRARY

TOWN councillors have been told that campaigners are "still fighting hard" to save Lyme Regis Library from closure.

Councillor Lorna Jenkin gave an update on the campaign at last week's Community Development Partnership meeting. She has been working toward saving the library since attending a public meeting on the issue in January.

She said: "We are still fighting hard for Lyme Regis to remain as part of the Core of Saved Libraries and we feel we are being heard sympathetically. At the same time, however, we are looking further ahead to see if we can actually devise something much greater by building on partnerships within Lyme Regis itself."

A working group is now being formed to look into whether campaigners' plans for the future of the library

are realistic and the county council will vote whether or not to close the library at the beginning of June.

Councillor Jenkin added: "There is reason to hope that Lyme Regis will not become a library free zone. In the meantime, we may be looking for support from the community to take on some of the 'housekeeping' jobs of the library – the gardening, cleaning and window cleaning – to save about £3,000 next year, which is 10 per cent of the annual Lyme Regis budget."

"I would appeal to individual councillors and townspeople who use the library to consider offering a little of your time if it is needed."

■ CAMPAIGNERS for Lyme Regis Library are urging residents to complete a questionnaire issued by Dorset County Council, and to ensure that they continue to

make their views known.

Questionnaires about use of the library service are available in the library in Silver Street and online on DCC's website, [www.dorsetforyou.com](http://www.dorsetforyou.com)

Speaking for the campaigners, Anita Williams said: "I would encourage everyone in Lyme, whether they are currently a library user or not, to complete a questionnaire."

"This is a good opportunity to tell DCC that we need a funded library service and I would also encourage residents to use the additional space at the end of the questionnaire to make clear that travelling to Bridport Library is unreasonable, and also to show their support for the option to spread cuts across the whole of the library service."

Ms Williams said she was encouraged by the positive

comments from county councillor Colonel Geoffrey Brierey, but remained disappointed because, while DCC said it was fully consulting, it confirmed that it is not prepared to consult on the initial proposal to withdraw funding from 14 libraries across the county.

"It appears to me that this matter will return to council in June and July and the original decision will be endorsed leaving us cut adrift from the library network," she added.

"Unless the councillors want to see changes we will be stuck with the existing proposal to remove funding. It is vital that we make clear to DCC that we need them to continue funding our library."

For more details on the campaign, visit the website [www.aroundlymeregis.co.uk](http://www.aroundlymeregis.co.uk), or contact Anita Williams at email [anita@lrdt.co.uk](mailto:anita@lrdt.co.uk) or on 01297 443138.

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# Church plans met with mixed reaction

## UPLYME PARISH CHURCH OPENS PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON RE-ORDERING ITS INTERIOR

PLANS to reorder the interior of Uplyme Parish Church were met with mixed feelings at a public consultation meeting on Saturday.

The internal changes, estimated to cost about £25,000, have been proposed to create more space for the expanding community, including 158 pupils from Mrs Ethelston's Primary School next door, which has no school hall. The church, which also has no hall, regularly has 120 worshippers attend its Sun-

day services and over 200 on special occasions, with limited seating.

The proposed plans include creating a new platform in the bell tower, accessible from the upstairs gallery, enabling additional seating to be put underneath. The idea of carpeting the church, auctioning off the Victorian pews and replacing them with stackable chairs is also being considered, in

order to create a more "flexible" space for different occasions.

Additional space could also be made in the chancel, by getting rid of the more modern choir pews and replacing them with chairs.

Members of the parish were invited to share their views on the plans at a question and answer session at the church, with the Reverend Gavin Tyte and

other members of the Parochial Church Council committee, including churchwardens Sue Wells and David Hardman, and Terry Daly.

Residents asked how the church would fund the developments. The Reverend Tyte reported that they did not currently have the money and they did not know how they were going to raise it, but it would most likely be made through legacies, benefactors and fundraising, not through the church's re-

serve funding.

He added that nothing would happen in the immediate future, as this was just the public consultation phase and, as well as raising the money, special planning permission had to be given by the Diocese.

The main concern of residents was the auctioning of pews and replacement chairs, which many felt would lose the traditional look of the church.

One resident said: "One of the main concerns is that it doesn't become more of a hall than a church, and that not too much is ripped out, because it is a beautiful church."

Another added: "You want to tear up and get rid of the history of this church."

The Reverend Tyte argued that this was not the case and that he was actually an "avid historian".

He added: "I want to reassure people that I'm very keen on making this a very beautiful and peaceful place. I don't think it is at the moment, with the mixture of pews and chairs. I want it to be consistent."



■ RINGING THE CHANGES: (From left to right) PCC Committee members David Hardman, the Reverend Gavin Tyte, Sue Wells and David Hardman in the bell tower, one of the areas set to change in proposed plans. Not pictured is Kim Sankey who is also working on the project

By Francesca Evans



### Happy Birthday Iris

LIFE-LONG Lyme Regis resident, Miss Iris Warren, celebrated her 90th birthday with friends on March 31st.

Five years ago, Miss Warren (pictured left) moved from the house she had always lived in, in Silver Street, across the road to the Westhill Abbeyfield home.

She was joined by Abbeyfield trustees and residents to cut her cake at a special birthday party.

At the age of 90, Miss Warren is still an active member of the Lyme Regis community and helps out at the popular coffee mornings held every week at Lyme Regis Baptist Church.

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# Another busy and successful term



## Underwater art

STUDENTS from the Woodroffe School in Lyme Regis were the first to use the town's new youth club, The Hub, on Saturday.

The Hub opened the doors at its Church Street premises for its first activity since being acquired by Lyme Regis Development Trust last year.

Year 10 students painted large marine-theme banners for Lyme Regis Fossil Festival, which they will be entering as part of the nationally recognised Silver Arts Award.

The banners will be on display at the Fossil Festival, which will be held from Friday, April 29th to Sunday, May 1st.

During the school's second trip to Spain, 18 students



## Travelling the world

THE Woodroffe School recently held exchange trips to Axminster's twin-town Douvre la Delivrande and to Baeza in Spain.

In France, 31 Year 9 students spent the week attending lessons at the French school and on day trips to an underwater museum, William the Conqueror's abbey and tomb, the Normandy landing museum and a biscuit factory.

enjoyed trips to Granada, Cordoba, and even a rock concert, where two Woodroffe pupils, Alfie White and Dom Kirtley, played guitar with a Spanish band.

Both trips were described as a great success and teachers have commended the students on their exemplary behaviour.

Students from the French exchange are pictured above and students from the Spanish exchange below

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# at the Woodroffe School



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THREE teams of sixth form students from the Woodroffe School in Lyme Regis entered this year's European Union Science Olympiad.

The school is delighted to announce that two of the teams involved achieved a gold medal in the UK heat of the competition, and the third won a silver medal.

However, because of a combination of financial and health and safety consider-

ations, none of the teams will be able to represent the UK in the international final this year.

Science teacher Chirs Sweetland sent his congratulations to the students.

■ **SCIENCE Olympiad students pictured above and, inset, student working in the lab**



AN eventful day was enjoyed by a selection of cadets across all three sections of the Woodroffe School CCF during half-term, when invited to RNAS Yeovilton.

The invitation for a flight in the Grob Tutor aircraft came from the 727 Royal Naval Air Squadron to give cadets an insight into military flying within the Fleet Air Arm. The day included a range of events, with visits to numerous hangars, including the Historic Flight, where they were given a tour of a maintenance hangar closed to the public, as well as presentation regarding the need to clear birds from the runway, aided by a falcon.

The organisers of the event pulled out all stops to ensure that the cadets en-

joyed the day in the event of flying being cancelled due to bad weather, and all were invited to take turns to sit at the controls of a static Hawk Trainer aircraft.

The skies did eventually clear and cadets enjoyed flying lessons, where they learned the basics of roll, pitch and yaw. Some were even brave enough to try out aerobatic manoeuvres at the suggestions of instructors.

The day proved very educational, especially for those considering a career in either of the three services, with an insight to opportunities available, as well as the implications of recent cutbacks in the military.

## Taking to the skies



■ **UP, UP AND AWAY: Woodroffe CCF cadet Ed Low**



TWO Woodroffe students have secured major awards towards their university places.

Sixth formers Carolyn King and Samuel Jenkin both sat additional biology exams to qualify for unconditional offers at Aberystwyth University and an additional £1,000 in funding for their first year.

Head of sixth form, Jim Thomas, said: "I'm really thrilled for these students. These awards have given the students encouragement and have rewarded their perseverance."

Carolyn plans to study zoology and Samuel will be studying biology, but ultimately wants to join the Army's officer training programme at Sandhurst.

Both students (pictured above) will start their courses in October this year.

Mr Thomas added: "We wish them every success for the future."



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# Plenty of choice for Lyme electorate

I DID say that predicting the candidates for local elections was not an exact science.

I got it just about right on the town council front with 20 candidates going for the 14 available seats.

As expected, Ken Meech and David Cozens were the only two current members not seeking re-election. In the case of Ken Meech, it brings to an end a 40-year association with local government for the former policeman.

I'm personally sorry that Ken will not be

seeking election. Having been a district councillor for several years, his experience has been invaluable to the town council and I've always considered him to be the reasoned voice in the Guildhall.

He had many opportunities to serve his adopted town as mayor but chose not to, although he's been deputy mayor more times than I can remember. That's a shame for he would have made a good First Citizen.

So we end up with 12 existing councillors

## Lyme Matters

by Philip Evans



seeking re-election (as I predicted) and eight would-be councillors (one more than I predicted).

Whilst I intimated that Anita Williams was considering standing to keep the Williams' family tradition going, I never got round to con-

firmed that she was actually going to.

Anita has done good work in fronting the campaign to save the library from closure, and by putting herself forward for election offers up the never-before option of a father (Stan) and daughter team plus

an uncle (Peter) to boot.

Anita lives with her father in Uplyme so the dinner table talk in the Williams' household could be lively in the coming weeks, especially as her husband, Keith Killingback, has put himself forward for Uplyme Parish Council

and will be automatically elected with no contest being held.

Apart from Anita, the new candidates are Rikey Austin, Stuart Carver, Chris Clipson, Mark Gage, Duncan Lay, Terry O'Grady and George Symonds.

Five of the above - Rikey, Stuart, Chris, Terry and Mark - were enthused to put their names forward following the controversy over the re-opening of the former boys club and got the taste for public service.

They will be standing as a group and some have got a taste of council work by regular attendance at meetings over the past few months.

I'm not going to be foolish enough to predict the result of such a keen contest but I think it's almost certain that there will be a few new faces sitting in the council chamber come May 6th.

The district council election will also be interesting with five candidates going for the two seats.

Existing members

Daryl Turner (Conservative) and Pat Hicks (Independent) are both seeking re-election and will be challenged by George Symonds (Conservative), Ann Sargent (Liberal Democrat) and Owen Lovell (Independent).

George Symonds, who runs the Amusement Arcade on the seafront, pulled off a surprise when he won the Tory ticket ahead of Owen Lovell, who formerly served on WDDC as a Conservative before losing his seat at the last election four years ago.

I expected the Lib Dems to put up a candidate but was unaware that Ann Sargent would be standing.

I had heard rumours

that Owen, obviously disappointed he did not get the second Tory nomination, was considering standing as an Independent but he is a man who keeps his cards close to his chest.

He has a great mistrust of the press, especially me, so I did not expect him to reveal his plans publicly before the nominations deadline.

Five candidates will split the vote and there may be casualties.

Sadly, no parish council election at Uplyme with ten candidates for the ten seats.

Long serving member and former chairman Beryl Denham is standing down after many years on council duty.

### FAMOUS CELEBRITIES IN LYME BULLETIN

(No 2,350): TV presenter and former Strictly Come Dancing contestant Gethin Jones, boyfriend of Welsh singer Katherine Jenkins, has been seen around the town.

And last weekend Kerry Katona, who my daughter reliably informs me is a former member of girl band Atomic Kitten and a reality TV star (I use that word in the loosest sense of the word) and her formerly estranged husband and kids were also in town last week.

## EVENT OF THE WEEK...

THIS was a no brainer this week with Lyme Media & Events Limited, the company which publishes the *View from Lyme Regis*, staging our very own West Dorset Local Champions awards.

In all we presented eight awards to deserving people who do so much to enhance community life in West Dorset.

And I am delighted two say that two Lyme Regis personalities were both honoured at a glittering awards ceremony at Highlands End Holiday Park at Eype, near Bridport.

I was comper for the evening but nearly didn't make it having been involved in a crash the previous day as we were taking equipment to the venue, writing off our new company van in the process.

The indomitable Cecil Quick, now in his 91st year, was named Community Champion for his unsurpassed service to the Lyme Regis branch of the Royal British Legion, having served the organisation for over 65 years, 40 of which in the role of President.

I sat with the Quick family at the awards and son Derek, his wife Una, daughter An-

gela and husband David Manners could not have been more proud.

Cecil's sight is not what it used to be and he's a bit hard of hearing, but that did not stop him making a charming thank-you speech including a joke.

Also nominated for an award for business was Clive Cobb, founder of the iconic Town Mill Bakery in Lyme who is just about to open another restaurant at the Eden Project in Cornwall, one of the UK's top tourist attractions.

See full details of our awards night in our special supplement, pages 37 to 44.



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## You can't beat the Golden Oldies!

■ A MUSIC themed quiz night raised almost £100 for Lyme Regis Football Club on Friday night.

Quiz master for the night was local DJ Simon Flux, with help from his partner Andrea Budden, who tested the musical knowledge of seven teams. Winners were the "Golden Oldies", made up of club chairman and his wife, Howard and Heather Lacombe, Ade and Sarah Porter, and Jan Gurd, who each received a bottle of wine. The winning team are pictured above with quiz master Simon Flux and Andrea Budden (centre).

## Mariners gains permission to restore hotel after lorry crash

A PLANNING application to make repairs to the front of the Mariners Hotel in Lyme Regis, which was struck by a Royal Mail lorry in a severe traffic accident last October, has been approved by West Dorset District Council.

The listed building in Silver Street will be returned as close as possible to its appearance before the crash. The front entrance and window were knocked down by the lorry, resulting in passer-by Alex Quan-Yat-Koon suffering a double leg amputation.

The hotel frontage has since been boarded up and a temporary entrance made. The repairs will use many similar materials to the rest of the building.

■ THE following planning applications for Lyme Regis have also received final approval from West Dorset District Council:

Build extension and replace garage door at 10 St George's Hill;

Build extension at Meadow, Charmouth Road;

Replace three windows and the front conservatory roof at 10 Cobb Terrace, off Cobb Road;

Internal and external alterations at Springfield Guest House on Woodmead Road – a listed building – which is being converted into a private home;

Install six photovoltaic solar panels on rear south west roof slope on Bell Cliff House, 7 Broad Street;

Change use of existing shop to a mixed use of shop with restaurant/café at

### LOCAL PLANNING DECISIONS by Francesca Evans



■ MAJOR COLLISION: Damage caused by the lorry crash in October 2010 is soon to be repaired

19 Broad Street, which is a listed building and currently Lyme News, with opening hours of 8am to 10pm Monday to Saturday and 10am to 4pm on Sundays and Bank Holidays;

Replace garage with chalet-style detached house with shared access at The Vicarage on West Hill Road;

Create new access to garage, enlarge existing first floor window, replace two first floor windows with French doors opening to Juliette balconies at 1 Woodmead Road.

■ PLANS to create a third-floor roof extension, new balcony and terrace, and to convert two apartments into a single residential unit at Malvern House in Broad Street have been refused.

West Dorset District Council refused the plans to convert and make alterations to the flats at 13 Broad Street, above Lyrinda's delicatessen, on the grounds that changes would result in the loss of

some of the building's historic features, including its roof profile and chimney, and would therefore lose its symmetry with the nextdoor property to the detriment of the character of the building.

The district council has also refused permission to retain a new extract flue at the Alexandra Hotel in Pound Street.

The new flue was installed in the same place as the old extractor to meet with modern regulations but sparked a complaint from a nearby resident.

The district council refused permission to keep it on the grounds that its box-like form, scale and finish detracted from the listed building's character and appearance.

■ LYME Regis Town Council recommended approval of the following planning applications, which will now be considered by West Dorset District Council:

Build replacement conservatory at The Old Vic-

arage, Old Vicarage Garden, subject to the listed building officer approving;

Extend the time limit in which to extend St Michael's Business Centre in Church Street to provide extra office space for Lyme Regis Development Trust, with a kitchen and toilets;

Build new external staircase at Staples Stores in Staples Terrace;

Make internal and external alterations including a conservatory extension at Rose Hill, Silver Street, on the condition that the proposed galvanised handrail on the "Widow's Walk" be constructed of period material like the neighbouring property;

Retain the double temporary classrooms at the Woodroffe School on Up-lyme Road.

The council also found no objections with plans to make alterations to an extension at Benets, Mill Green; to build an extension and make additional alterations at 4 Clappentail Park; and to install a new dormer window to the garage roof of Maroc House, 2 Corum Court.

■ PLANS to build a double carport at 20 Woodroffe Meadow were recommended for refusal by Lyme Regis Town Council, on the grounds that it was overdevelopment of the site and would affect the "visual amenity and intended purpose of the landscaped area".

Final decisions on all planning applications are made by West Dorset District Council.

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# Lyme's young actors perform in the Bristol Old Vic

LYME Youth Theatre Company branched out from their usual territory to perform at the Bristol Old Vic at the end of last month.

The group of 13 spent a long day in technical and dress rehearsals at the renowned theatre, followed by a sparkling performance of their play "The Beauty Manifesto" by Nell Leyshon.

Lyme Youth Theatre was selected to take part in the National Theatre's Connections – a nation-wide programme celebrating young acting talent. The members had already performed their play five times at the Marine Theatre in March and were excited to take it to the Bristol Old Vic, which was their regional theatre for the programme.

Cat Butler, who played Jasmin, the lead ambassador for the Beauty Manifesto, said: "Although it was a long day, once we finally got to perform on stage, it was a fantastic feeling and I wouldn't have missed it for the world."

Lyme Youth Theatre aims to provide a variety of acting opportunities for its members outside of Lyme Regis.

On two occasions the group has taken part in the popular Shakespeare in Schools Festival, and a few years ago a group performed a play at the National Association of Youth Theatre's festival in Hertfordshire.

Lyme Youth Theatre's summer term of classes on Saturdays starts after Easter and will run for ten weeks. The popular summer school will run, again led by Shanty Theatre Company, from August 15th to 20th. Bookings are already being taken for these activities.

To find out more information, please contact Monika Henshaw on 07534 277466 or email [lyt@marinethatre.com](mailto:lyt@marinethatre.com)



MEMBERS of Lyme Youth Theatre Company at the Bristol Old Vic

## New website for town council

LYME Regis Town Council is expected to launch a new website at the end of the month.

The website will replace the council's current out-dated site, [www.lymeregis-towncouncil.gov.uk](http://www.lymeregis-towncouncil.gov.uk), and residents will be able to use it to find out council meeting dates, information on councillors, and to search minutes and agendas.

New features will include a search facility, links to "hot topics", which local people are likely to be interested in, and

a secure section for councillors where they can download council documents.

As well as including a link to the town's official website and web cam, councillors were also keen to include links to website of local organisations, which they were told could be included.

Councillors were also told that the website, being created by LymeNet, was being designed simply so that no specialist knowledge would be needed to keep it up-to-date.

## Twin towns to compete in annual darts match with webcam link-up

THE fifteenth annual darts challenge between Lyme Regis and twin town St George's, in Bermuda, will take place on Saturday April 23rd at the The Nags Head.

Seven darts players picked from the Lyme Regis Darts League will throw darts in the Flights Across the Atlantic Darts Challenge, and a similar team from St George's will play in the St George's Dinghy Club, Bermuda.

The darts match is normally played with the scores being relayed over the telephone, each player taking turn for their throw. However, this year the match is using up-to-date technology and will be played with a webcam link-

up so that the darts players and their scores can be seen.

This event is unique, as it is thought to have been the first darts match ever to be played over the phone and is now going one step further to be more unique with a webcam. Pictures will be relayed to each location and shown on large TV screens at the different venues.

A cup will be presented to the winning team; the current holder of the cup is Lyme Regis, which has won the competition five times against St George's two.

This event is one of the annual events organised by the Lyme Regis and St George's Twinning Association.

## Plant sale and coffee morning

UPLYME and Lyme Regis Horticultural Society will host their annual spring plant sale and coffee morning on Saturday, May 7th.

A wide range of plants, vegetables, bedding, shrubs and perennials grown by members and friends of the society will be on offer at competitive prices.

Bacon rolls, tea, coffee and cake

will be on sale, and there will also be a raffle.

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# Glovers fans dig deep when lifeboat crew visit Yeovil FC

LYME Regis Lifeboat crew added their support to the Yeovil branch of the charity, who collected over £900 at Saturday's League One fixture between Yeovil Town and Bristol Rovers.

A group of 14 fundraisers from the Yeovil branch of the RNLI passed collection buckets among the crowd of 6,000 during the half time break, and eight members of the Lyme Regis lifeboat crew went to the match to support their efforts.

Chairman of the Yeovil group Peter

Burrows said: "The fans dug deep to help our charity and we are delighted with the result.

"Lyme Regis is our nearest lifeboat so we decided to forge closer links with the crew.

"We were very pleased with the help Yeovil Town gave us and we hope to make the collection an annual event."

The only downside for the Yeovil collection team was the result of the match - the home side lost 0-1.



■ **ON THE PITCH:** Members of Lyme Regis Lifeboat crew pictured with Yeovil Town captain Terry Skirvert and top, the crew line up with the Yeovil fundraisers

## Emergency services team up for training



■ **CLIFF-TOP PRACTICE:** Charmouth Fire Service and Lyme Regis Coastguards train together after a school-boy had to be rescued from waist-high mud last month

EMERGENCY services have held a joint training day after a young boy almost died after getting stuck in mud near Charmouth.

A crew from Charmouth fire service and nine members of the coastguard went through drills to ensure they are fully prepared for the next incident.

The exercise follows the recent drama of five year-old fossil hunter Callum Currie, which saw a team of eight coastguards use specialist equipment to free the schoolboy when he became stuck in waist-high mud.

Station manager for Dorset Fire and Rescue Service, Steve Isaacs, said: "It was more a precautionary exercise to determine what we would do in the scenario of someone getting stuck in mud but not being able to rescue them from the

beach.

"The two services go together, it was a 'what if' scenario. We have these training days on a needs basis.

"I think the recent incident where the boy became stuck in mud pre-empted that, certainly the recent incident highlighted it was time to revisit the training and see what we can do.

"The joint days are a vital part of training so we have an awareness of what the other emergency services are able to do come the day should we have to respond so there are no misunderstandings on what roles each other can perform.

He added: "Between us we can normally complete any job we go on, that's why we do joint training."

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# Artist brightens up seafront shelters construction site

THE construction site of the Marine Parade shelters in Lyme Regis has been made a little brighter thanks to local artist Brian Matravers and friends.

The artist has added some colour to the seafront by painting a mural on the boards that block the shelters regeneration project, at the sloped path up to Lister Gardens.

The mural features the beachside takeaway kiosks and the Beach House Café in bright, block colours.

Brian said: "I took photos of all the buildings along the Marine Parade but I could only fit in a few. The kiosks just fitted in nicely. I couldn't fit the larger buildings in because I would have had to decrease the scale so much."

Brian was approached by Councillor Sally Holman to brighten up the boards, some of which already feature artwork from Woodroffe School students.



■ **IN COLOUR:** Above, Brian Matravers in front of his seaside mural and, right, the artist leans on his portrait of Cathy Nixon, who was one of his helpers in painting the mural

by Francesca Evans

The artist started work in November last year, but had to stop for three months because the weather was so bad. He

then managed to finish the project within three weeks with the help of some friends, Chris and Camille Clipson, Prescila

Gerard and Cathy Nixon, whose portrait features on the mural.

The mural will be on display until the boards are taken down and the new Marine Parade shelters are unveiled in June.

## Talk on Anning's famous fossil finds

MARY Anning's "Five Famous Fossils" will be the subject of a lecture by Stephen Locke OBE tomorrow (Thursday).

The event is being held by the Friends of Lyme Regis Museum, of which Dr Locke is the chairman of the trustees.

The talk will be held at the Woodmead Halls at 2.30pm. Admission is £2 for members and £3 for non-members. There will be refreshments and a raffle, and the talk will be followed by the Friends' AGM.

## Check your blood pressure, says Rotary

THE Rotary Club of Lyme Regis will be hosting a Know Your Blood Pressure event in an attempt to reduce the number of blood pressure related strokes in the UK.

The event will be held on Saturday, April 9th at the Fortnam, Smith & Banwell office in Broad Street from 10am to 3pm, offering free blood pressure monitoring and information on related health issues.

Lyme Regis Rotary club is joining scores of clubs across the UK taking part in the Know Your Blood Pressure campaign in partnership with The Stroke Association.

## Charity Big Breakfast

THE Lyme Regis branch of Cancer Research UK invite all to The Big Breakfast on Friday, April 15th.

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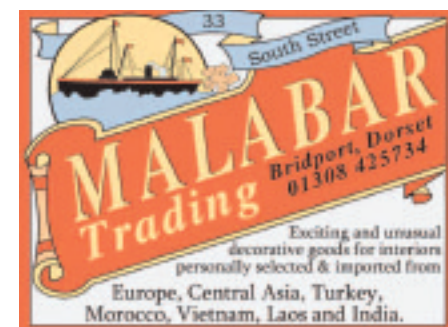
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2. **Ensure** your pet is sociable and well trained
3. **Provide** a nutritious and well balanced diet
4. **Provide** suitable housing and bedding
5. **Clean up** after your pet and worm it regularly.
6. **Protect** against disease. Your vet can provide you with advice.



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### Evelynne O'Hare - West Dorset Chiropractic Centre



#### WHY should my pet have chiropractic care?

Just like people, animals can sometimes get stiff and sore in their spines and joints. This can often be due to lifestyle.

Our pets often have long periods of inactivity, when we are out at work, followed by bursts of energetic activity, when we play with them or take them out for walks. We have bred them to develop certain body shapes, which are different to how they evolved naturally, and we walk them on leads and harnesses, which sometimes they pull against. And of course as they get older they can get wear and tear to their joints.

Dogs and cats can also suffer from many of the same joint problems

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### Southfield Vets

WHILST gardening today, I was astounded by the sudden appearance an abundance of blossom, Spring has certainly arrived. This then got me thinking about the imminent onset of my own hay-fever and similarly the many allergies dogs and cats get from grasses, pollen and flowers.

Many dogs in particular suffer from Spring through to Autumn with seasonal allergies, this often manifests itself in itchy, inflamed skin. It may involve just the feet, the ears, the belly or for some poor dogs, the whole body. The itchiness can make these animals particularly miserable and often by scratching they damage the skin which can lead to infection.

Fortunately, in our practice, one of my colleagues, Rik Vanhoetteghem, specialises in Dermatology (the study of skin prob-

lems). My other colleagues and I often pass these poor animals onto Rik for his expert help to alleviate their suffering.

This time of year we also begin to see problems caused by grass seeds! The awns can burrow their way into the skin between the toes, especially in Spaniels. They can also travel down the ear canal to cause serious irritation and infection too. Animals can inhale awns, which can cause coughing and very serious lung problems. I have even removed a grass awn, from a police dog, which had been inhaled, travelled through the lungs and tracked its way out of the body about five inches behind the last rib!

Believe it or not, a not uncommon cause of sneezing in cats is from a blade of grass getting stuck up their nose! Who would believe the garden could be such a dangerous place?!



### The Pet Shop

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Until 30 April it is also still possible to see the highly praised new exhibition Georgian Faces. It includes over sixty, mostly previously unseen, portraits of the people who shaped Dorset during the eighteenth century. The exhibition runs until 30 April 2011 and features works by many of the most important portrait artists of the time including Sir Joshua Reynolds, Thomas Gainsborough and William Hogarth.

The final event connected with the Georgian Faces exhibition is a special

play reading of a Georgian comedy, The London Hermit: or Rambles in Dorsetshire, by John O'Keefe. This takes place at the Museum on 29 April at 7.30pm. Tickets cost £10 and include a glass of wine. The play reading will be performed by local actors using various props and costume elements. For full details of this and all events at Dorset County Museum please see our website on [www.dorset-countymuseum.org](http://www.dorset-countymuseum.org)



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## View 2 Music

## Zoe Schwarz for Jazz Café gig

BRIDPORT'S Jazz Café will be featuring **Zoe Schwarz**, the vocalist in The Baddest Blues Band (Ever!) this Friday, April 8th.

Zoe's unaffected vocal style is equally well suited to jazz. Humphrey Lytton praised her as "glorious."

Despite Zoe's classical upbringing and studies it soon became clear that her forte was far more suited to blues, expressive ballads and jazz. It was only three years after her first jazz gig that Zoe had her first week at Ronnie Scott's sharing a week with Monty Alexander.

Bridport Arts Centre director Polly Gifford said: 'Our monthly Jazz Café nights have grown and grown in popularity and now they regularly sell-out. I'd recommend booking early to see Zoe.'

The event starts at 8pm and admission is £7, tickets are available from the Box Office in advance on 01308 424204.

Zoe Schwarz



## Midge Ure to play 'Uncovered'

**MIDGE Ure** really needs no introductions; his career speaks for itself. Grammys, Ivor Novellos, BASCAPs, gold and platinum discs and a variety of other accolades, including an OBE can all grace his mantelpiece.

By the time Midge Ure's single "If I Was" went to No1 in 1985 he had already crammed several musical lifetimes into a 10 year professional career speaks volumes - Silk, The Rich Kids, Thin Lizzy, Visage, Ultravox and of course the most famous one off group in musical history Band Aid had by then all had the guiding hand of his musical navigation.

Midge is the master of re-invention, secure in the knowledge that there will always be a market for a good song, sung with passion! Equally comfortable in a variety of formats, this time he has chosen to perform an intimate acoustic show combining a selection of his own hits from Vienna via If I Was to Dancing with Tears In My Eyes, with some of his favourite songs by other artists such as Peter Greens Fleetwood Mac and David Bowie.

The "Uncovered" show gives him chance to explore his musical roots and share some of the anecdotes and journeys that his career has followed. Like the man himself, it does what it says on the tin...

Support will be performed by Duotone's Barney Morse-Brown and James Garrett with a sneak performance of new songs in advance of the release of their second album in September later this year.

Midge Ure with support from Duotone is on Thursday, April 28th at the Electric Palace, Bridport. Tickets are on sale now for £18.50 from Bridport Tourist Info Centre on 01308 424901. For more details see [www.electricpalace.org.uk](http://www.electricpalace.org.uk)



Midge Ure

## WOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL MUSIC 4

WOW Youth Musical Theatre's next production will be 'WOW That's What I Call Music 4'. This will be performed at Weymouth Pavilion Theatre on Friday 15 and Saturday 16 April 2011 at 7.30pm, with a matinee on the Saturday at 2.30pm.

The show is a compilation of all types of music and gives every member the opportunity to sing solo, duets or in small groups. Starting off Act 1 there will be a selection of toe tapping numbers that have been featured in the hit TV programme 'Glee'. This will be followed by selections from 'My Fair Lady', 'Beauty and the Beast' and 'Grease'.

Act 2 introduces Gilbert and Sullivan with the 'Cachucha' from 'The Gondoliers'. The WOW company will then perform songs from a variety of musicals including 'Hair', 'Phantom of the Opera', 'Chorus Line' and 'Sunday in the Park with George' by Sondheim.

Finally there will be a preview of their November production 'The Hot Mikado', which is a Gilbert and Sullivan opera with a very much updated jazzy score.

The company have been in rehearsal for several months, with a great deal to learn, but in true WOW tradition the cast of 60 youngsters aged between 10 and 18, will give you another spectacular show. Please support them.

The show is directed and choreographed by Scott St Martyn who has been responsible for many successful shows with WOW over the years. Heather Reed is the musical director and Martine Burt a former WOW member, is assistant director and also helping Heather as chorus master.

WOW is pleased to announce that they have kept the ticket prices at the same level as for previous shows. All tickets cost £12, with a concession for senior citizens at £10.50 for the Saturday matinee only. For this show, they are introducing a 'Student Special', which will mean students aged 18 and under will pay £8.50 on Saturday evening only. This is to encourage the young people of the area to enjoy live theatre, and also be affordable to school friends of our members.

Tickets are available from the Weymouth Pavilion Box Office 01305 783225 or on line at [www.visitweymouth.co.uk](http://www.visitweymouth.co.uk)

## Art and poetry workshop in Whitchurch Canonorum

ON Saturday, April 9th, internationally-acclaimed poet Elisabeth Bletsoe and renowned Dorset-based artist Frances Hatch are facilitating a writing, drawing and painting workshop in the church of St. Candida and the Holy Cross at Whitchurch Canonorum near Bridport. Last year, Elisabeth was commissioned to write for the Artevents na-

tional project on the theme of "re-enchantment with the landscape" and chose to engage with the historical, mythical and natural environment surrounding St. Wite, Dorset's patron saint. Her work in turn inspired Frances to create a series of paintings exploring the coast near Charmouth and Golden Cap. On the day, Elisabeth will read her text

"Votives to St. Wite" in the place that it was written and it is hoped that participants will respond to this special venue by making their own creations in various media. Bookings should be made in advance. Admissions £15 (day workshop, 11 am-4pm) of £5 (poetry reading only, 11.15 am). Contact Frances: 01202 765708, [info@franceshatch.co.uk](mailto:info@franceshatch.co.uk)



## Local poet to read work in Bridport

GRETA Stoddart, one of the Bridport area's most acclaimed and promising young poets, will read her work at Sladers Yard on Friday, April 8th at 7.30pm.

Greta's most recent collection *Salvation Jane* was shortlisted for the Costa Book Awards. Her first collection *At Home in the Dark* won the Geoffrey Faber Memorial Prize in 2002. Reviews for her work in the national press have consistently heaped praise upon her language and her use of images to present the dilemmas in everyday life. She teaches for the Poetry School in Bridport and Exeter.

Don't miss this chance to hear her read her work and talk about her ideas and approach to writing. Tickets are available from Sladers Yard at £5 or £15 including pre-event supper. The cafe/bar will be open from 6pm. Please call 01308 459511 or email [gallery@sladersyard.co.uk](mailto:gallery@sladersyard.co.uk) to book your seat.

## Palace to show Winnie The Pooh as part of From Page to Screen Film Festival

THE Electric Palace is excited to announce that they have secured the brand new hit film 'Winnie The Pooh' on the day of release Friday, April 15th to coincide with the children's Easter holidays and the *From Page To Screen* Film Festival.

With the charm, wit and whimsy of the original Winnie the Pooh featurettes, this all-new movie reunites audiences with the philosophical "bear of very little brain" and friends Tigger, Rabbit, Piglet, Kanga, Roo—and last, but certainly not least, Eeyore, who has lost his tail. "Well a tail is either there or it isn't there," said Winnie the Pooh. "And yours isn't... there." Owl sends the whole gang on a wild quest to save Christopher Robin from an imaginary culprit. It turns out to be a very busy day for Pooh bear who simply set out to find some hunny.

Winnie The Pooh is a family film with a certificate rating of U and will be playing at 11am and 1pm daily from Friday, April 15th to Monday, April 25th. As an extra treat Waterstones have arranged Emily Faulkner to read from Winnie The Pooh at 10.30am over the screening dates.

All seats at £4.50 and can be bought 30 minutes before the film starts except the 11am screenings on Saturday 16th and Sunday 17th which are £5 as part of the *From Page To Screen* festival and can be bought in advance from Bridport Tourist Information Centre.

Sandwiches, treats and refreshments will be available for the screening dates.

For more information please call the Electric Palace on 01308 428354 or visit [www.electricpalace.org.uk](http://www.electricpalace.org.uk)

## Poetry for Pleasure

by Frank McGarry

MRS Irene Castedo from Weymouth has written to say how much she admires the 'thought-provoking' verse that begins, "Not 'till the loom is silent and the shuttles cease to fly".

It is certainly powerful poetry so I did a little research on it and found that the poem has been published in various versions with many different titles, such as 'The Weaver', 'The Master's Loom', 'The Divine Weaver', 'The Master Weaver's Plan' and so on. Usually the poems are marked 'Author Unknown' or simply 'Anon'. However, it would seem that the poem was written by a man from Mississippi named Benjamin Malachi Franklin (1882-1965). The poem was written in the late 1940s and was first published in 1950 in 'The Memphis Commercial Appeal'. This is the original title and text.

## LIFE IS BUT A WEAVING

*My life is but a weaving  
Between my God and me;  
I cannot choose the colors  
He weaveth steadily.  
Oft' times he weaveth sorrow;  
and I in foolish pride  
Forget He sees the upper  
And I the underside.  
Not 'til the loom is silent  
And the shuttles cease to fly  
Will God unroll the canvas  
And reveal the reason why.*

*The dark threads are as needful  
In the weaver's skilful hand  
As the threads of gold and silver  
In the pattern He has planned.  
He knows, He loves, He cares;  
Nothing this truth can dim.  
He gives the very best to those  
Who leave the choice to Him.*

I DON'T care to be accosted by beggars in the street but I do like to be entertained by buskers, especially when they are playing without amplification.

Once, many years ago, I was captivated by a string quartet playing Beethoven on the streets of San Francisco. The four young musicians had brought folding chairs and music stands as well as their instruments.

A few weeks ago I was back in my home town of York where, thankfully, buskers are still busking and where Freda Jones was when she wrote this.

## THE BUSKER

*Oh slender girl in your long red dress  
Your music touched my soul.  
It swelled inside my aching heart  
And the tears began to fall.*

*Oh slender girl with your long brown hair  
In the busy street you played*

*And in this cathedral city  
Heavenly music you made.  
Oh slender girl with your violin  
You reached out to me today.  
You took my sadness and with your bow  
You stroked it all away.*

THE English poet, Frances Quarles, died in 1644 so I don't think he ever visited Vegas but he did offer this advice, "Has fortune dealt you some bad cards? Then let wisdom make you a good gamester." Frances wishes you:

## A GOOD-NIGHT

*Close now thine eyes and rest secure;  
Thy soul is safe enough, thy body sure;  
He that loves thee, He that keeps  
And guards thee, never slumbers, never sleeps.  
The smiling conscience in a sleeping breast  
Has only peace, has only rest;  
The music and the mirth of kings  
Are all but very discords, when she sings;  
Then close thine eyes and rest secure;  
No sleep so sweet as thine, no rest so sure.*

● If you have a short poem of your own that you would like to share with our readers please send it to: Poetry for Pleasure, Lyme Media & Events Ltd, St Michael's Business Centre, Lyme Regis, Dorset, DT7 3QF. Or e-mail it to us at: [pemedi@pemedi.co.uk](mailto:pemedi@pemedi.co.uk)



## PLAYWRIGHT PETER TO PERFORM SERIES OF SHORT PLAYS

SHORT Shifts is embarking on a European tour to promote the incredible writing talents of playwright Peter Oswald.

Peter is joined by international actress Josephine Larsen, to perform a series of his Short Plays, back to back. Each play lasts anything from 1 - 15 minutes. Multi instrumentalist, Martin Holland, accompanies them as the third voice, weaving a multi dimensional backdrop with his compositions and atmospheric sound landscapes.

Peter's plays represent a re-discovery of the complexity of the human spirit in all its manifestations of comedy, tragedy, farce, surrealism, the grotesque and the very real. Short Shifts invite audiences on a spell-binding journey into 'marriage' and the ancient relationship between the masculine and the feminine.

Attention Seekers Production of Short Shifts comes to the Marine Theatre on Saturday, April 16th from 8pm. Tickets cost £12/£10 and are available by



ALL SMILES! | Josephine Larsen and Peter Oswald

calling 01297 442138, by visiting [www.marinetheatre.com](http://www.marinetheatre.com) or by visiting Lyme Regis Tourist Information Centre.

## Elmer The Elephant show in Bridport

BLUNDERBUS Theatre Company bring their show Elmer the Elephant to Bridport Arts Centre on Tuesday, April 12th at 11am.

Elmer was different - Elmer was patchwork. He was yellow and orange and red and pink and purple and



blue and green and black and white. But, he was not elephant-coloured.

One night Elmer couldn't sleep for thinking, and the think that he was thinking was that he was tired of being different. So, off he set in search of the elephant-coloured berry bush. And this is where our story begins...

Based on the best-selling children's book by author, David McKee, this brand new, fun-filled version of 'Elmer' bursts to life with jungle characters, catchy songs, and beautiful hand-crafted puppets!

The show is suitable for children up to 8 years old. Tickets available online at [www.bridport-arts.com](http://www.bridport-arts.com) or from the Bridport Arts Centre box office on 01308 424204, priced £6 children, £8 adults, £7 members of the Arts Centre and £28 family ticket.

## More activities added to holiday programme

OSPREY Leisure Centre has added activities to their children's Holiday Sports programme for Easter.

With the help of the Synergy Housing Group a huge fun bouncer now forms part of the activity days on offer for £10 for up to 6 hours of fun.

A pool inflatable also adds to the excitement on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons which only costs £3 for each child (9-14 years of age, for two hours).

If parents wish to give their children the opportunity to learn to swim, the popular week of intensive swimming lessons is once again available and this week of coaching has shown that children respond very well to instructions as they have less time to forget what they have been told the day before!

To enrol your child on any of the fun sessions or the swim lessons simply see the details on the adjacent advert or visit the website, and then call the centre on 01305 824378 to book your place - your children will thank you for it!

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A Beginner's Class is followed by a Level 1 Class (for those with some experience). These are small, friendly classes which encourage everyone to explore the many benefits of Yoga. "Anyone who thinks they might be interested should give it a go" says Caroline Croft, "It has really helped to improve my posture and strengthen my lower back; I also sleep better as a result of generally feeling more calm."

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NEW RELEASESRIO <sup>U</sup>

Blu (Jesse Eisenberg) is one of a rare species of Spix's Macaw, is a resident at a bookstore in Moose Lake, Minnesota, and the last male of his kind. When scientists learn that another macaw was spotted in South America and that the macaw, Jewel (Anne Hathaway) is female, they take him out of Minnesota and send him to Rio de Janeiro to meet her. While there, he learns to confront his fear of flying in order to win her heart. Along the way, they get kidnapped by poachers to sell them to get a fortune. After they escape, they try to avoid the thieves and their pet cockatoo Nigel (Jermaine Clement), with the help from Rafael (George Lopez), Luiz (Tracy Morgan),

Linda (Leslie Mann), Flora (Wanda Sykes), Fernando (Jake T. Austin), Pedro (will.i.am) and Nico (Jamie Foxx), with a bottle cap for a hat.

LOVE AT FIRST  
FLIGHT | RioMARS NEEDS MUMS <sup>PG</sup>

Disney 3D animation Mars Needs Mums sees nine-year-old Milo (Seth Green, voice-over by Seth Dusky) find out just how much he loves his mother (Joan Cusack) when she's abducted by Martians who plan to steal her "mumness" to rear their own young.

Milo's quest to save his mom involves stowing away on a spaceship, navigating an elaborate, multi-level planet and taking on the alien nation and their leader, the Supervisor (Mindy Sterling). With the help of tech-savvy subterranean-dwelling earthling Gribble (Dan Fogler), his bionic underground pet Two-Cat (Dee Bradley Baker), and rebellious Martian Ki (Elisabeth Harnois), Milo finds his way back to his mom.

MUM'S THE WORD  
Mars Needs MumsTHE ROOMMATE <sup>15</sup>

Thriller The Roommate sees new college student Sara (Minka Kelly) find that her new roommate Rebecca (Leighton Meester) has an obsession with her, and things quickly turn violent.

TOMORROW, WHEN THE WAR BEGAN <sup>12A</sup>

Seven Australian teenage friends from a small town go on a camping trip to be with nature. During their trip, they see military aircraft fly overhead. What they didn't know was their country was being invaded by another country. Returning home, they discover that they are at war. With no training, they band together to fight the enemy.

MAGNIFICENT SEVEN  
Tomorrow, When The War BeganYOUR HIGHNESS <sup>15</sup>

Danny McBride and James Franco team up for an epic comedy adventure set in a fantastical world-Your Highness. As two princes on a daring mission to save their land, they must rescue the heir apparent's fiancée before their kingdom is destroyed. Thadeous (McBride) has spent his life watching his perfect older brother Fabious (Franco) embark upon valiant journeys and win the hearts of his people. Tired of being passed over for adventure, adoration and the throne, he's settled for a life of wizard's weed, hard booze and easy maidens. But when Fabious' bride-to-be, Belladonna (Zoëy Deschanel), gets kidnapped by the evil wizard Leezar (Justin Theroux)...

SIBLING RIVALRY | James Franco, Zoëy  
Deschanel and Danny McBride in Your HighnessCINEMA  
LISTINGS

Friday, April 8<sup>th</sup>  
- Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup>  
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## LYME REGIS REGENT

Broad Street, Lyme Regis  
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Fri: 17.25, 19.45

Sat-Thur: 14.55, 17.25, 19.45

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32 Trinity St, Dorchester  
Tel: 01305 262488  
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Sucker Punch <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 14.50, 17.25, 20.00

The Eagle <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 13.40, 15.50, 18.00

Gnomeo & Juliet <sup>U</sup>

Daily: 13.00

Limitless <sup>15</sup>

Daily: 20.20

Rio in 3D <sup>U</sup>

Daily: 12.40, 15.10, 17.40, 20.10

## WEYMOUTH CINEWORLD

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www.cineworld.co.uk

Hop <sup>15</sup>

Fri: 13.20, 14.40, 15.40, 17.10, 19.30

Sat: 12.20, 13.20, 14.40, 15.40, 17.10, 19.30

Sun-Thur: 11.00, 12.20, 13.20, 14.40, 15.40, 17.10, 19.30

Sucker Punch <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 13.10, 15.40, 18.10, 20.40

Source Code <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 15.10, 17.30, 19.50

Limitless <sup>15</sup>

Daily: 18.00, 20.30

The Eagle <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 20.15

A Turtle's Tale: Sammy's Adventures in 3D <sup>U</sup>

Sat, Sun, Mon, Wed: 10.50

A Turtle's Tale: Sammy's Adventures in 2D <sup>U</sup>

Fri, Sat: 13.50

Sun-Thur: 11.50, 13.50

Your Highness <sup>15</sup>

Wed, Thu: 20.00

Rio in 3D <sup>U</sup>

Fri: 14.00, 16.20, 17.00, 18.40, 21.00

Sat-Wed: 11.40, 12.20, 14.00, 16.20, 17.00, 18.40, 21.00

Thu: 11.40, 14.00, 16.20, 18.40, 21.00

Mars Needs Mums in 2D <sup>PG</sup>

Daily: 13.45, 18.10

Mars Needs Mums in 3D <sup>PG</sup>

Fri: 16.00, Sat-Thur: 11.30, 16.00

Rio in 2D <sup>U</sup>

Fri: 13.00, 14.40, 15.20, 17.40, 19.20, 20.00

Sat-Tue: 10.40, 13.00, 14.40, 15.20, 17.40, 19.20, 20.00

Wed: 10.40, 13.00, 14.40, 15.20, 17.40, 19.20

Thu: 10.40, 13.00, 15.20, 17.40

Tomorrow, When The War Began <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 15.50, 18.20, 20.40

Rango <sup>12A</sup>

Sat: 12.50, Sun-Thur: 10.30, 12.50

Animals United in 2D <sup>U</sup>

Sat: 10.00

Megamind in 2D <sup>PG</sup>

Sat: 10.10

Despicable Me in 2D <sup>U</sup>

Sat: 10.20

Monsters Vs Aliens in 3D <sup>U</sup>

Sky 3D KIDS CLUB EXCLUSIVE

Tue: 11.00

Shrek Forever After in 3D <sup>U</sup>

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Thu: 11.00

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## LYME TOWN BAND PREMIERES OWN MARCH

A UNIQUE event took place last Saturday when the Lyme Regis Town Band premiered the concert march 'Black Ven', written for them by top brass band composer/arranger Howard Snell. The occasion was the band's annual workshop, led again by Philip Harper, who is himself internationally known.

In his preface to the score, Howard Snell dedicates the march to 'the builders of the Black Ven pilot gig racing boat of Lyme Regis and for the Lyme Regis Town Band'. Howard describes his interests in boats, in his family history and how his researches led him to Lyme Regis. He discovered that Lyme boasts a notable boat-building school and how long ago it nurtured the Dunster family, one that led indirectly into his own.

Howard mentions his admiration for the racing gig 'Black Ven', built at the Boat School by Gail McGarva and shaped 'entirely by her boatbuilder's eye, no soulless know-all computer blurring her vision.'

But Lyme Regis, he writes, 'has yet an-

other element essential to civilised life: a town band'. So it was the 'merest step' for him to think of writing a concert piece for the band which provides entertainment for its audiences at its regular summer concerts. Howard sums up the composition as 'a musical doffing of the cap to the boat, the hill, my forbears and to the Lyme Regis Town Band.'

Before its first performance, Philip Harper emphasised the honour the band had received through the dedication of this march to them by such a giant of the brass-banding world. He outlined the story of its composition and Howard's aim of pleasing and amusing the listener through the tapping of hammers, the sound of sawing, a ship's bell and a repeated snatch of 'Row, row, row your boat.'

A recording of 'Black Ven' was made at the end of the workshop, which will be sent to Howard, now living in retirement in France. However, he intends to visit Lyme for a live performance, which will hopefully gives as much pleasure to him as it has so far given to the band.

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# Forest Forge Theatre Company bring incredible play to Dorchester Arts Centre

**PEELING**, by Kaite O'Reilly, is a darkly comic play revealing the choices women make and the things they hide...

It gives audiences a unique and compelling experience as it cunningly interweaves audio description and sign language.

Alpha, Beaty and Coral are three actresses hoping for their big break, waiting in the wings, in the chorus of a production of *The Trojan Women*.

As they wait for their cues the three girls bicker, chat and swap stories. Gradually we learn more about them as they peel away layers of their sto-

ries along with their ridiculous and cumbersome costumes!

*Peeling*, performed by the Forest Forge Theatre Company is at Dorchester Arts Centre on Friday, April 15th at 8pm. A touch tour for the visually impaired takes place at 7.30pm. Tickets cost £8/ £6 members and concessions, and are available by calling 01305 266926 or from the box office.

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# Picnic on the Pitch

Royal Wedding Celebrations  
Friday 29th April  
The Davey Fort. Lyme Regis Football Club

Bring your own picnic (inside if raining)  
Bouncy Castle, Skittles, Side Shows, Full Bar All Day  
Live coverage of the wedding from 10am  
(Wedding starts at 11am)

## Evening BBQ and Party

Live Band 'Something French' and Disco

Can we make a human Union Jack?  
Come dressed in red, white or blue

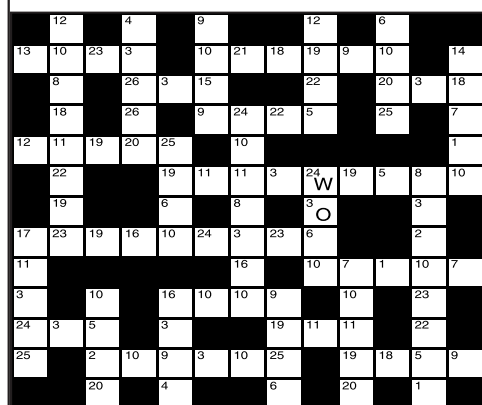
Non-members welcome

## Brain Gym

No.111

### Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

1 U 2 K 3 M 4 V 5 I 6 P 7 J 8 C 9 E 10 B 11 X 12 N 13 G  
14 T 15 Z 16 R 17 S 18 Q 19 D 20 H 21 A 22 O 23 W 24 L 25 Y 26 F

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12	25
13	26

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### Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.

#### Cryptic Clues:

##### Across

- Snap decision on a question of race? (5,6)
- Serve up (3)
- Go too far across a stretch of water (9)
- Hotel employees a long time in extra thought (5)
- Begin the dance, like an unrestricted puppy? (4,3)
- One inside wards off evil spirits (6)
- Take another look at a critical report? (6)
- Refined male fish? (7)
- Possible range of emotion (5)
- Clearly express a writer's work? (4,5)
- Had a meal from a packet of dates (3)
- On the verge of retirement? (5,3,3)

##### Down

- A centre of revolution (3)
- They may make a stool (5)
- Weak charge has a miserable finish (6)
- Hastened up with speed to tell the tale (7)
- Secretly watching for the fish that's due (9)
- It could lead to a lassie's downfall, she's only young (4,2,1,4)
- Employee in removal business? (5,6)
- Reg is wrong to promise fruit (9)
- An obstinate person had dire trouble (3-4)
- Cancelled a surprise order for the hairdresser! (3,3)
- Poisonous creature seen in summer (5)
- One gives superlative service (3)

#### Quick Clues:

##### Across

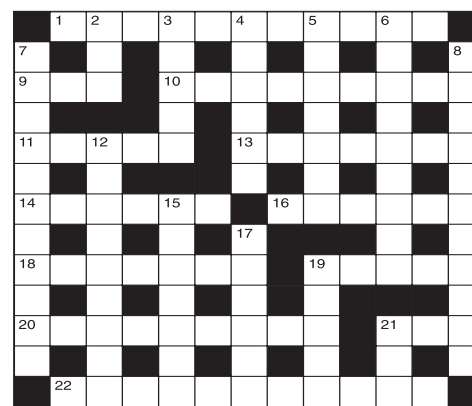
- Scatter here and there (1,1)
- Serpent (3)
- Instruction (9)
- Type of duck (5)
- Apert (7)
- Beginning (6)
- Relate (7)
- A dead language (5)
- Vigorous (9)
- Untruth (3)
- Anyway (2,3,6)

##### Down

- Pinch (3)
- Senior (5)
- Shriek (6)
- Shut out (7)
- Blown spray (9)
- Seek advice (4,7)
- Rebuked (11)
- Cleansing agent (9)
- Gospel (7)
- Stinging plant (6)
- Sordid gain (5)
- Allow (3)

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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS:

CRYPTIC - Across: 1 Gout; 3 Rent-free; 9 Niagara; 10 Oaths; 11 Miss the point; 13 Tapers; 15 Agreed; 17 Burning fever; 20 Osier; 21 Perturb; 22 Bookmark; 23 Shoe. Down: 1 Gunsmith; 2 Urals; 4 Erases; 5 Thorougfare; 6 Retinue; 7 East; 8 Battering-ram; 12 Adorable; 14 Prunigo; 16 Sniper; 18 Vouch; 19 Tomb. QUICK - Across: 1 Pity; 3 Peaceful; 9 Overeat; 10 Nurse; 11 Preposterous; 13 Coming; 15 Obsess; 17 Super-natural; 20 Pulse; 21 Earnest; 22 Sanctity; 23 Dyed. Down: 1 Prospect; 2 Theme; 4 Estate; 5 Contributory; 6 Fortune; 7 Leer; 8 Denouncement; 12 Isolated; 14 Maudlin; 16 Intent; 18 Reeky; 19 Opus.

### Sudoku

Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

4	2	6	7	1	9	5	8	3
3	5	9	4	8	2	7	1	6
7	1	8	3	5	6	4	2	9
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2	8	3	7	4	6	9	5	1
6	9	7	5	2	8	3	4	1
8	3	4	6	9	7	1	5	2
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9	7	5	2	3	1	8	6	4

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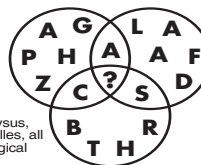


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### Circlegam

Replace the question mark with a letter so that the letters within each circle can be arranged to form words on a common theme. What are the three words, and the letter represented by the question mark?

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:  
The letter represented by the question mark is I. Dionysus, Poseidon, Achilles, all Greek mythological figures.



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# What's On in the Easter Holidays?

## Children's Holiday Activities at Bridport Leisure Centre!

- Easter Egg Hunt
- Trampolining
- Swimming Courses
- Synchronised Swimming
- Junior Badminton
- Cheerleading
- Diving Techniques
- Mini Water Polo

- Snorkelling for Adults & Kids (8+)
- FREE Bikeability Level 1 Course

### For the Under 5's

- Trampolining
- Gym Tots
- Duckling Swim Sessions
- Easter Fun Arts

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# New season open day at Charmouth Bowls Club

HERE comes summer! With sunshine just around the corner it's time to get out and enjoy the fresh air, perhaps a bit of leisurely exercise and the opportunity to meet a few new friends.

Charmouth Bowls Club is offering just that, with a chance to come along to the Open Day and get a taste for the enjoyment of bowling.

It is a small club and welcomes new members young and old. This year the club is seeking to broaden its membership base and is keen to reach out to younger

members. They are keen to encourage local families and friends to join in and to play a part in this worthwhile activity. They also welcome seasonal visitors who wish to participate in our village life.

The Open Day is to be held at 2:30pm on Sunday, April 17th at the Bowls Club in the Barr's Lane Recreation Ground (off The Street, by the Post Office).

Bowls equipment will be provided by the club, as will free tuition (if needed) and refreshments. Why not take up this great opportunity to try a new activity.

# Eggs are sunny side up at the Fisherman's

WHATEVER the weather you will get a warm welcome at The Fisherman's Arms' Easter craft fayre on Thursday, April 7th.

Participants have been busily preparing craft items for sale for months and have some really eggstra special gifts for sale.

The day centre is open five days a week and staff work closely with those who attend to develop active daily living skills, independence and confidence.

Many service users have physical disabilities but have supported each other and together have been eggstraordinarily creative in producing the items for the fayre.

Look out for the speciality Easter trees - a must have! Any monies raised will go directly to the service users' amenity account and fund vocational tutors, outings and of course, eggstra craft materials!

Please do come along and support this event, which will run from 2pm-4pm. Your visit will be much appreciated by all involved.

Telephone 01308 459404 for more information.

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**Smoked Salmon Roulade.** Served with dressed salad leaves

**Buffalo Mozzarella and Cherry Tomato Tartlet.** With rocket salad

**Sauté Dorset Mushrooms.** In a rich madeira and blue vinny sauce

### MAIN COURSES

**Roast Devon Beef.** Served with Yorkshire pudding, roast potatoes and horseradish sauce

**Roast Leg of West Country Pork.** Served with roast potatoes, crackling and apple sauce

**Oven Baked Chicken Supreme.** Served with fondant potato, red wine and forest mushroom sauce

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# View 2 Diary Dates

## UNTIL WEDNESDAY APRIL 13TH

**LYME REGIS:** A Natural Eye exhibition at the Upstaris Gallery, Town Mill, from 11am to 4pm. An exciting mix of local artists showcasing their perspectives on flora and fauna. Ceramics, photos, representational watercolours, floral paintings, digital images.

## UNTIL MONDAY APRIL 25TH

**LYME REGIS:** Francis Hatch 'Matter Arising' Art Exhibition at the David West Gallery, from 11am-4pm, Tuesdays - Sundays and Easter Monday. Organised by the Town Mill Arts Team. Telephone 01297 442610 for more information.

## WEDNESDAY APRIL 6TH

**DORCHESTER:** Dorchester and District Bible Society Action Group Spring meeting, from 7pm - 9pm, at the Dorford Centre.

**UPLYME:** Ladies Shopping & Pamper Evening in support of the RSPCA at the village hall from 7pm. Pamper treatments and a wide range of trade stands. Free goody bags for the first 50 ladies plus a grand raffle. Tickets £2 in advance or £2.50 on the door which includes a free glass of wine. Tickets available from the RSPCA shops in Axminster and Bridport, The Terrace in Lyme Regis and Devon Edge hairdressers in Charmouth. Telephone 01297 560316 or email sam.ricketts@hotmail.co.uk for further information

## FRIDAY APRIL 8TH

**CHIDEOCK:** Miss Mayne's Annual Folk Dance at the Village Hall from 8pm - 11pm. Organised by Bridport Folk Dance Club. Telephone 01308 458165 for more details.

## SATURDAY APRIL 9TH

**DORCHESTER:** Quangle Wangle Choir Concert at St Mary's Church, Edward Road. Songs to celebrate the power of these, far away places and love, with a sprinkle of Chris De Burgh and the Beatles, plus a dash of humour! Tickets on the door £6, or telephone 01305 785878.

**BRIDPORT:** A 'Three-days-late' Ceilidh with Crooked Furrow band at St Mary's Hall (Church House), South Street. Tickets £7 in advance, £8 on the door. Light supper and soft drinks included, but bring your own beer! Tickets available from Bridport Tourist Information office or by calling 01308 423442 after March 24th.

**WHITCHURCH CANONICORUM:** Painting / Drawing / Writing Workshop at Whitchurch Canonicorum Church of St Candida & Holy Cross, from 11am-4pm. Telephone 01202 765708 for more details and to book.

**BRADPOLE:** Prize Bingo at Bradpole Social Club. Good prizes, friendly atmosphere promises a pleasant evening for all. Doors open 7:15pm, eyes down 8pm.

## SUNDAY APRIL 10TH

**WEYMOUTH:** Antique, Collector and Crafts Fair at Upwey & Broadway Memorial Hall from 9am-4:30pm. Telephone 01305 824164 for more details.

## TUESDAY APRIL 12TH

**BRIDPORT:** Talk on "Up the hill and round about - Badbury Rings" by Nancy Grace, NT, at the United Church Main Hall, East Street, from 2:30pm. Telephone 01308 456876 for further information. Organised by Bridport History Society.

## THURSDAY APRIL 14TH

**DORCHESTER:** 'Primulas & Auriculas' - An Illustrated Talk by Garden Designer Alan Edmondson, at the Conference Room, Kingston Mauward College, from 7:30pm. Organised by Plant Heritage Dorset Group. Visitors welcome for a small donation of £2.50. Telephone 01305 772533 for more information.

## FRIDAY APRIL 15TH

**BROADMAYNE:** Market from 2-3:30pm at St Martin's Community Hall (next to the church). Raffle, craft, plants, books, jigsaws & cards + local sausages, eggs, fresh lamb & pork, cakes & preserves, Fairtrade goods and a chance to sit and chat with a cup of tea or coffee. All proceeds for St Martin's Community Hall. For further information please contact Eleanor Piper 01305 853765.

**WEYMOUTH:** U3A April Meeting with Caroline Nickinson, featuring a DVD presentation of the work of the Weldmar Hospice, at the Salvation Army Citadel, from 10am. Organised by Robin Allison (Publicity Officer). Telephone 01305 767584 for further information.

**CHARMOUTH:** Easter Bingo at St Andrew's Community Hall, Lower Sea Lane. All proceeds to Community Hall. Telephone 07813 513062 for further information. Doors open 7pm, eyes down 7:30pm.

## SATURDAY APRIL 16TH

**BRIDPORT:** Alexander Technique Free Open Sessions at 5 Downes Street, from 1pm - 4pm. Telephone 01297 489526 for more details.

**BRIDPORT:** Jumble Sale at Bridport United Church Hall from 10am. Telephone 01308 485463 for more details.

**WHITCHURCH CANONICORUM:** Pavel Timofejevsky will be playing Schubert's Piano Sonata in A major D 664 (op.120), as well as music by Liszt and Scriabin, at St Candida's Church from 7:30pm. Tickets cost £7, which includes refreshments during the interval. For further information contact Cynthia Bain on 01297 489629.

**BEAMINSTER:** Book Sale at the museum, from 10am-4pm. Telephone 01308 863577 for more information.

**BOTHENHAMPTON:** Film - 'The Kings Speech' at the Village Hall at 2:30pm (doors 2pm) and 7:30pm (doors 7pm). Tickets available on the door at £4 for film club members and £5 for everybody else. Telephone 01308 423071 for further information.

## SUNDAY APRIL 17TH

**LYME REGIS:** Pianists Nick Brown and Aleks Szram, plus Lyme Bay Chorale, their soloist baritone Chris Brewer and musical director Alex Davies, perform an exhilarating spring afternoon musical experience as part of Maritime Lyme, at St Michael's Church from 4pm. Tickets at £10 each are available from: Hilary Highet, A Kind of Blue, 7 Broad St, Lyme Regis. Telephone 01297 445649 or email hilary@hilaryhighet.com or purchase from Lyme TIC. Tickets include a delicious high tea after the performance. Proceeds will go to South West Multiple Sclerosis Centre and the Lyme Regis Organ Fund.

## MONDAY APRIL 18TH

**BRIDPORT:** Illustrated Talk on 'The Healing Garden' by Gavin Haig, surgeon, wildlife gardener and author, at the United Church Hall, from 7:30pm. A Golden Cap Centre presentation. Members of the public welcome. Telephone 01308 863577 for further information.

## THURSDAY APRIL 21ST

**BRADPOLE:** Easter Bingo at Bradpole Social Club. Generous seasonal prizes, friendly atmosphere promises a pleasant evening. Doors open 7:15pm, eyes down 8pm.

## GOOD FRIDAY (APRIL 22ND)

**WHITCHURCH CANONICORUM:** Meditational Evening at St Candida's Church, from 6pm-7pm. There will be choral music, some readings and time for reflection. The Whitchurch Occasional Choir will sing early music by Byrd, Tallis and Victoria, interspersed with reflective poems and readings.

## SATURDAY APRIL 23RD

**CHARMOUTH:** Royal British Legion Women's Section Easter Coffee morning and Table Top Sale. Cake and produce stall and tombola. Admission 50p to include tea or coffee. From 10am-12noon, at Charmouth Village Hall. Telephone 01297 560255 for more details.

**WEYMOUTH:** Fundraising charity auction and raffle at The New Vic, 41 The Esplanade, Weymouth, DT4 8DH, from 8pm. In aid of Dogs for the disabled and the British Heart Foundation. Supported by Chicks Karaoke.

## SATURDAY APRIL 23RD - SATURDAY MAY 22ND

**BEAMINSTER:** Exhibition - 'Bread: a Slice of History' at Beaminster Museum, Whitcombe Road, on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays & Bank Holidays from 10:30am-1pm & 2pm - 4:30pm, and Sundays, 2pm-4:30pm. Admission £1. Telephone 01308 863577 for info.

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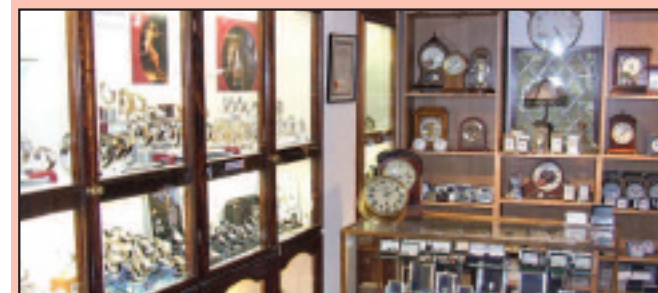
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Special plaques and certificates were presented to eight individuals and groups who have made significant contributions to the community life of West Dorset.

The West Dorset Local Champion awards were organised by Lyme Media and Events, publishers of the *View From* series of local newspapers in Dorset and *THE WEEKENDERS* in South Somerset and East Devon.

Introducing the awards ceremony, *View From* managing editor Philip Evans told a gathering of winners and sponsors: "We are here to honour those who serve our community."

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**By STUART BROOM**

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### The Big Society

"Prime Minister David Cameron talks grandly about his new idea – The Big Society. But as we all know, the ethos of the Big Society has been happening in West Dorset for decades."

Following a drinks reception and three-course dinner, the awards were presented by representatives of the sponsors – Nantes Solicitors, the Mariners Hotel (Lyme Regis), BYPAT and BLAST (Bridport), Bridport Leisure Centre, Hive Beach Café (Burton Bradstock), YARD fashion and

lifestyle (Dorchester), Creeds Printers (Broadoak) and Clipper teas (Beaminster).

Concluding the ceremony, Mr Evans said: "As newspaper people, we see at first hand what gargantuan efforts go into making our lives more comfortable, more rewarding and more compassionate. You are truly West Dorset's Local Champions!"

One of the guests, Bridport PR and marketing consultant Kathy Dare, commented afterwards: "It was a most enjoyable evening and great to see so many deserving people winning awards. We don't spend enough time praising and rewarding the good in the area...and it's great to see a real local paper championing the cause."

Lyme Media & Events managing director Jerry Ramsdale commented: "It was a brilliant night. Congratulations to all the winners and our sincere thanks to the sponsors for their support."

## THE WINNERS

### Community Champion

Someone who has made a real difference in their community through their voluntary or charitable work

*Sponsored by: Clipper*

*Winner: CECIL QUICK, President Lyme Regis branch of the Royal British Legion*

### Charity Champion

An individual whose service to a charitable organisation inspires and sets an example

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*Mr Henry Smith, of Bettiscombe*

### Emergency Worker Champion

Someone who has served the emergency services in West Dorset with distinction and example

*Sponsored by: Hive Beach Café*

*Winner: Coastguard Rob Malpas*

### Young Champion

A young person (under 18), or group, who sets an example by deed or attitude in their community

*Sponsored by: BLAST/BYPAT*

*Winner: West Bay Playgroup Project*

### Arts Champion

Someone who has promoted the arts community through excellence, innovation and creativity

*Sponsored by: Yard*

*Winner: Peter Hitchin, Electric Palace, Bridport*

### Sporting Champion

Someone who has served the sporting community with dedication or striven for or achieved excellence

*Sponsored by: Bridport Leisure Centre*

*Winner: David Wrighton*

### Business Champion

An individual who has contributed to the business community, either through innovation or achievement

*Sponsored by: Mariners Hotel*

*Winner: Clive Cobb, Town Mill Bakery*

### School Champion

A pupil, or group of pupils, teacher or ancillary staff member who goes that extra mile in the world of education

*Sponsored by: Nantes*

*Winners: Sir John Colfox School Sixth Formers*



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# Epitomising all that is good about work of the Legion

**COMMUNITY CHAMPION**, sponsored by Clipper Teas. Winner: Cecil Quick, President, Lyme Regis branch of the Royal British Legion

CECIL Quick is in his 91st year with failing eyesight. He served in the Army in the Second World War and has been connected with the Royal British Legion for more than 65 years.

He has been President of the Lyme Regis branch for 40 years and more and still plays an active part in the running of the branch, especially the Remembrance Parade and Service. Even at the age of 90, he acts as the Parade Marshal and plays a prominent role in the annual festival of Remembrance, leading one of Dorset's most active branches with pride and distinction.

As well as his work for the Royal British Legion, Mr Quick, during his years as a local builder, supervised the building of the hospital extension with voluntary labour and also the lifeboat station. There have been many other good deeds over the years.

Mr Quick is a supreme example of serving his community in a no-nonsense fashion, quietly going about his duties with little fuss or recognition, setting an example to those many years his junior.

He epitomizes all that is to be admired by so many who give so much in the cause of helping others, which is what the Legion does best in so many ways.



■ **COMMUNITY CHAMPION:** Cecil Quick, of Lyme Regis, receives his award from Clare Tuck, of Clipper Teas

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■ **CHARITY CHAMPION:** Henry Smith, of Bettiscombe, fundraiser for many good causes, receives his award from Andrew Harrison, of Creeds Printers

## Henry's fundraising feats are legendary

**CHARITY CHAMPION**, sponsored by Creeds Printers. Winner: Henry Smith, of Bettiscombe

AS SOON as the *View From* publicised the launch of these awards, nominations for our next award winner started to trickle in from all corners of

West Dorset. That trickle soon became a torrent. It was clear that farmer and charity worker extraordinaire Henry Smith was highly respected and admired by all and sundry.

Again, it is difficult to do justice to Henry in so few words. His service to his beloved West Dorset, and his fundraising feats, is the stuff of legend – but it could have been so different.

From being an active farmer with a high profile in the agricultural world, Henry was struck down by an hereditary kidney complaint that killed his father and paternal grandmother. Close to death, Henry received a heart and kidney transplant at the world-famous Harefield Hospital in Middlesex on March 4th 1991.

It was a life changing experience as well as being a life saving one. Since then Henry has dedicated himself to raising money to help other kidney sufferers, starting by raising money to support the scanner appeal in Dorset and an appeal to open a kidney unit in Dorchester. At the time, the nearest centre was in Portsmouth which involved a round-200 mile trip.

His work went far beyond the boundaries of Dorset but The Smith family have made an indelible imprint locally by organising each year, on March 4th, the anniversary of Henry's transplant, a ball and this event alone has raised around £70,000 for various departments at Dorset County Hospital as well as health charities and Dorset Air Ambulance.

In one nomination received, it was stated that Henry is forever grateful for his donor organs which has enabled him the quality of life and the pleasure of seeing three daughters married and his four grandchildren. They are, as you can imagine, inordinantly proud of their granddad.

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# He's 'the most courageous and dedicated man I know'

**EMERGENCY WORKER CHAMPION, sponsored by Hive Beach Café. Winner: Coastguard Rob Malpas**

WHEN the call comes, they never fail us. No matter what time of day or night. No matter what the conditions. What sort of society would we live without those brave firefighters, lifeboat crew and Coastguards. And what about those they leave behind to worry and fret?

Just listen to Sandy Malpas, wife of Rob Malpas, 36 years a coastguard and former station officer at West Bay for 10 years.

This is what she said: "I returned from shopping yesterday to find a note from my husband saying 'I'm on a shout - unexploded bomb on West Bay beach'. Most wives would have thrown a complete wobbly, but I just made a cup of tea and thought 'oh I wonder if he'll be back for lunch', Sounds strange. But after 36 years of my husband being an Auxilliary Coastguard not much fazes me".

### Great tragedy

We could fill the next eight pages with descriptions of Rob's bravery and service to the Coastguard over the years. Rescuing dogs and walkers from the cliffs, assisting the lifeboat crews and getting hypothermia in the process, recovering bodies from the sea. Along the way he has reached great tragedy.

Such has been his service that Rob is the only auxiliary coastguard in Britain to have received

the Honorary Comodores Award from prince Charles.

The final word goes to wife Sally. "In my eyes he is the most dedicated

and courageous man I have ever known, even though he leaves me all over the place when the Bleep, Bleep, Bleep goes off.



◆ **EMERGENCY WORKER CHAMPION:** Coastguard Rob Malpas receives his award from Steve Attrill, of the Beach Hibve Cafe, Burton Bradstock



◆ **ARTS CHAMPION:** Daughter Gabby Rabbitts received the award on behalf of her father, Peter Hitchin, of the Electric Palace, from Vicky Fernyhough, of Yard of Dorchester

## The man who rescued iconic arts theatre

**ARTS CHAMPION, sponsored by YARD of Dorchester. Winner" Peter Hitchin, Electric Palace, Bridport**

This was the category that received most nominations, dozens in fact and they were still rolling in up to yesterday, long after the deadline had closed.

This just goes to show what a diverse range of talented individuals there are in West Dorset, artists, actors, impresarios, singers, choreographers, poets. The list is endless and their contribution to our community brings much light relief to our otherwise busy life.

One man stood out among the rest. In the 1980s Peter Hitchin opened the West Dorset Arts School, a residential arts community that nursed many artists who to this day contribute to the ongoing wealth of artistic talent in Bridport.

But it was in 2003 that Peter took on his greatest challenge - rescuing the Electric Palace from extinction. The Palace had been the hub of the Bridport arts scene since 1926 and during the 1950s it even housed an ice-rink. But with so many other forms of entertainment available, by the new millennium the Palace was in real danger of final closure.

Against all odds, and without any public funding, Peter independently restored and reopened the Electric Palace, giving the venue the reputation as being one of the most exciting live entertainment venues in the south.

The Electric Palace continues today with Peter's philosophy of "entertainment for all", playing host to a hugely mixed programme of comedy, film, music, children's shows, opera, theatre and cabaret, bringing top names and top acts to West Dorset.

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## Iconic bakery favourite with politicians

**BUSINESS CHAMPION**, sponsored by The Mariners Hotel. Winner: Clive Cobb, Town Mill Bakery.

WHILST seven of the awards are for those who carry out voluntary work in our community, we did not want to forget that trade and commerce plays an important role in the life of West Dorset.

We are not talking about the multi-nationals, but

the many shops, cafes and other businesses, founded and run by entrepreneurs, often working long hours, sometimes seven days a week, that provide employment for hundreds of people and that make our streets so attractive.

One such business is the Town Mill Bakery, with outlets in Dorchester, Sherborne and Lyme Regis. Founded by Clive and Lucy Cobb, the Bakery started

baking bread in August 2005 with an old fashioned flavour. Since then their business has flourished with a unique dining atmosphere at Lyme Regis which has secured an iconic following, attracting many hundreds to the town. And last week they announced the opening of another Town Mill outlet at the Eden project in Cornwall, one of the UK's most popular tourist attractions.

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■ **BUSINESS CHAMPION:** Clive Cobb from the Town Mill Bakery receives his award from Lyme Media & Events' Jerry Ramsdale



■ **SPORTING CHAMPION:** David Wrighton receives his award from Luke Hayter, of Bridport Leisure Centre

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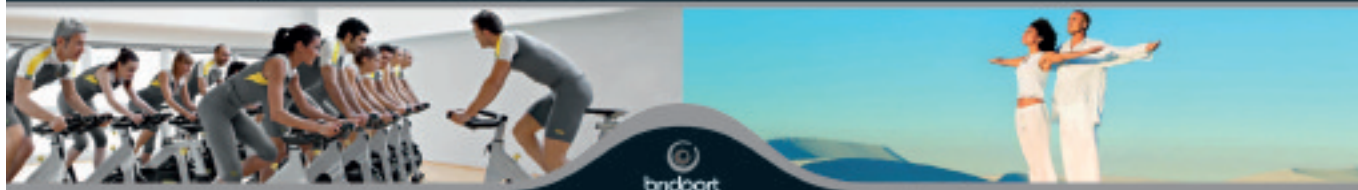
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## Inspirational sportsman

**SPORTING CHAMPION**, sponsored by Bridport Leisure Centre. Winner: David Wrighton

THIS was one of the most difficult categories in which to choose a winner. West Dorset is awash with brilliant sportsmen and women with some very sporting youngsters waiting in the wings.

Our Sporting Champion is a very special man indeed - 73 year-old no less, a fitness fanatic, indeed an adrenalin junkie, who also happens to be virtually blind. He has lived in Bridport for four years and has no sight in his left eye and only two per cent in his right (albeit in shadow). An parapatroper, his eyesight started to deteriorate after falling from the sky and landing in a tree. But in the face of adversity he is an example to younger sports enthusiasts in that he is totally committed to fitness, proving that all adversities can be overcome.

In 2008 he trained with the GB team in the paralympics, sailing a three-man dinghy with a double amputee and other crew members suffering from cerebral palsy. A truly inspirational sportsman.

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# Working to eliminate world poverty

**SCHOOLS CHAMPION**, sponsored by Nantes Solicitors: Winners: Anna Brown, Dorothy Drayton, Morgan Judd-English, Lucy and Jess Haley and Kristie Thacker

SIX members of Sir John Colfox School are working to improve education globally after attending an Oxfam Global Poverty Conference, part of a long-term OXFAM campaign to inspire young people to change the world for the better.

The girls are working on various projects based

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on social injustice and poverty focussing on Colfox's partner school in Kumasi, Ghana, where they will visit next month to see the real impact of climate change to assess how it impacts on poverty.

While in Ghana they will deliver workshops, promote the relationship between the two schools, sharing their experience with other Colfox students on their return.

In nominating the six girls, headteacher Kay Taylor wrote: "It is really heartening to know that young people are committing themselves to working with Oxfam to seek solutions and to campaign for action."



■ **SCHOOL CHAMPIONS:** Mike Harvey, from Nantes Solicitors, presents the award to the Sir John Colfox School sixth formers



■ **YOUNG CHAMPIONS:** The West Bay play area team receive their award from Arthur Woodgate, representing BYPAT and BLAST with trustees Martin and Maggie Ray

## Creating something special

**YOUNG CHAMPIONS**, sponsored by BYPAT & BLAST. Winners: Abby Briggs, Eddie Williams, Michael Lewis, Luke Wayland, Nathan Baxter, Gareth Jones and Callum O'Donoghue with mentor Debbie Bird.

HAVING coped with some very difficult issues in their lives, this is a story of young people who channelled their energy into helping the community rather than feeling sorry for themselves.

Part of the first Summentor Monitoring project four years ago, they were mentored by one of the award recipients, Debbie Bird, from junior to senior

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school. Their plans for a new play area at West Bay failed to win Lottery support, but they did not give up, working over the next three years with Bridport Town Council and other or-

ganisations to raise over £7,000 to create a new play area at West Bay, now very much used by all age groups.

The seven 15-year-olds are now working with children from Mountjoy Special School to extend and create a purpose built area for young people with disabilities.

They will also be mentoring children in Bridport Primary School towards designing another small play area nearby.

This is not a school project – but young people volunteering to create something special for the whole community – and they haven't finished yet.

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**Foundation of West Dorset Learning Partnership, chaired by Yeovil College**

**2010**

**Development of "ASPIRE" initiative, successfully targetting and supporting individual 'NEETS' aged 19+ into training and employment**

**Creation of BLAST's first "Volunteer Trainee" post - a partnership with Bridport Town Council**

**2010-2011**

**"SKILLS FOR SELF RELIANCE" largest European grant in South West for BLAST and partners Kingston Maurward and Yeovil Colleges, Windmill Training, Trill Farm and Monkton Wyld Court.**

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The accommodation is spacious and includes an extensive Studio which could readily be converted to provide a self-contained annexe. Many of the rooms enjoy views across the Lym Valley.

*The accommodation comprises:*

**ON THE GROUND FLOOR:**

Part glazed oak front door to: RECEPTION HALL - about 11'1" x 8'3" (3.38m. x 2.51m.) Tiled floor, radiator, downlighters.

CLOAKROOM (refitted in early 2011) W.c. and hand basin with adjacent cupboards and laminate top with wall tiling behind, wall cupboard, ladder style radiator/towel rail, extractor. Tiled floor.

STUDIO - about 15'10" x 15'4" (4.83m. x 4.67m.) With useful built-in store cupboards, radiator, downlighters, cupboard housing 'Vaillant' gas central heating boiler and hot water cylinder.

Door from Reception Hall to: DINING HALL with feature galleried Landing about 18'3" (5.56m.) narrowing to 13' (3.96m.) x 15'11" (4.85m.) with large roof light (motorized opening) radiator, built-in shelved cupboard, stairs to first floor, further gallery and 5 steps down to:

LOUNGE - about 19'5" x 13' (5.92m. x 3.96m.) Triple aspect windows including patio doors to large terrace, feature marble fireplace with 'Living Flame' gas fire (with remote control), high ceiling, wired for 'Sky' (with connections off to Studio, Bedroom 2 and Kitchen), 2 radiators.

KITCHEN (off Hallway) about 14'8" x 11'3" (4.47m. x 3.43m.) Fitted with an excellent range of base and wall cupboards with laminate worktops, acrylic 1 ½ bowl sink unit, integral fridge/freezer and dishwasher, gas hob with cooker hood and double electric oven, dual aspect windows, glazed door to Dining Hall. Part tiled walls and tiled floor.

UTILITY - about 10'6" x 6'9" (3.20m. x 2.06m.) Base and wall cupboards and laminate worktop with inset stainless steel sink, plumbing for washing machine, wall vent for tumble dryer, tiled floor, side entrance door, radiator.

**ON THE FIRST FLOOR:**

GALLERIED LANDING with built-in store cupboard and wardrobe cupboard, motorized 'Velux' roof light, radiator, downlighters.

MASTER BEDROOM - about 24'7" x 12' (7.49m. x 3.66m.) (sloping ceilings). Dual aspect windows, 2 radiators, separate 'Sky' connection.

ENSUITE BATHROOM - Panelled bath, hand basin and w.c., tiled shower cubicle, ladder style radiator/ towel rail, part tiled walls, electric shaver point.

BEDROOM 2 - about 14'11" x 12'11" (4.55m. x 3.94m.) (sloping ceiling). Radiator, access to eaves storage, dual aspect.

BEDROOM 3 - about 17'10" x 7'8" (5.44m. x 2.34m.) (sloping ceiling). Access to extensive eaves storage with electric light, radiator, dual aspect.

BATHROOM (refitted December 2010). Panelled bath with shower unit (2-way controls) and screen, w.c. and hand basin with fitted cupboards, mirror fronted medicine cabinet, spot lights, ladder style radiator/towel rail, loft access.

The gardens and grounds are a particularly attractive feature of the property. They have been landscaped to provide lawns and terraces, flower beds, two extensive patios (in block pavements), gravelled areas, shrubs and two apple trees. The bottom of the garden is bordered by the former Mill Stream. Beneath one of the patios is a useful garden store.

The vendor has estimated the whole plot to be in the region of 0.5 acres.

COUNCIL TAX BAND 'F'. All mains services are connected. Gas central heating is installed. Applicants should verify this with their own enquiries.

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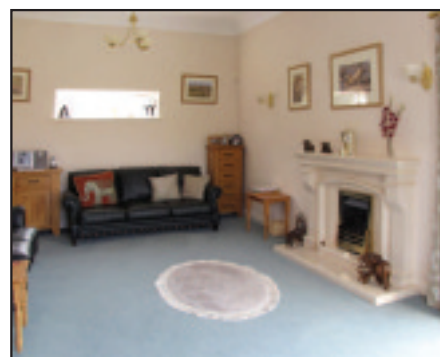
- Reception Hall
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- Extensive Studio Room

#### First Floor:

- Master Bedroom with Ensuite Bathroom/W.c
- 2 further Bedrooms
- Bathroom/W.c

#### Outside:

- Large detached double garage
- Delightful landscaped gardens



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A south facing four bedroom (one en-suite) cottage set in this picturesque village with oil fired central heating. A large enclosed rear garden mainly laid to lawn, with tarmac drive and parking area. Children and pets considered. Available end of April.



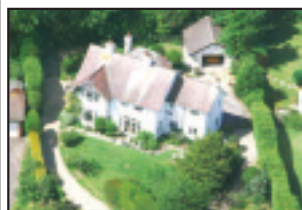
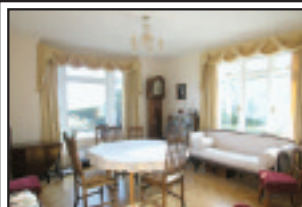
**Stinsford £1250 pcm**

Set in a village location this charming detached modern thatched cottage offers four bedroom and pretty mature garden with double garage and office/space over. Children and pets considered. Available shortly.



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## SEATON - £635,000

GREEN Bay is a well proportioned detached period house built in 1912 by a local builder. Over the last few years it has been updated and lovingly maintained by the present owners and is a fantastic example of a house that has managed to hold on to its original features for nearly a hundred years. These include herringbone parquet flooring in the reception areas, Art Nouveau and Arts & Crafts style fireplaces, doors and handles, cornicing and picture rails. The property is situated in a quiet sought after road in an elevated position above the town and enjoys delightful views across the town to the sea, Jurassic Coast, Axe Estuary and countryside.

The property is arranged over three floors and is a fantastic family home. The accommodation is also easily adaptable and could, by closing the landing connecting door on the landing, provide an office suite, annexe for a relative, a teen suite or even a holiday let - it's all possible depending on your needs.

On the ground floor is the reception hall, two main reception rooms, study/bedroom 6 with en suite bathroom, kitchen/breakfast room, 2nd kitchen/utility room and annexe reception room/office. The first floor offers the master bedroom with large en suite shower room, 3 further bedrooms, bathroom and shower room. On the 2nd floor is bedroom 5 and a door to the walk-in loft space.

Outside, the property benefits from a large garage/workshop and plenty of parking. The garden areas are mainly laid to lawn, with mature trees and shrubs, giving Green Bay a good degree of privacy.

Benefits include double glazing and gas heating system. The services connected are mains gas, electric, water and drains. The council tax is band G.

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## UPLYME - £450,000

A traditionally built well proportioned detached house in very good order and situated in the pretty village of Uplyme a short distance from the coastal town of Lyme Regis. Remainder of NHBC warranty.

Situated in the pretty village of Uplyme is this five bedroom well proportioned detached house offering spacious accommodation with an integral garage/workshop and enclosed rear garden. With gas fired central heating, double glazing throughout and the remainder of the NHBC warranty.

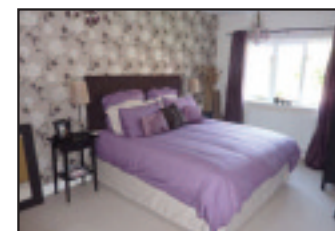
The accommodation comprises; entrance hall-way, utility room, integral garage, stairs lead to the kitchen, dining room and living room. On

the first floor four bedrooms with master en suite, bedroom five/study and family bathroom. Outside the paved driveway provides parking for several cars and leads to the garage/workshop.

The village is in the catchment area for Colyton Grammar School and the Woodroffe School.

AGENTS NOTE: The property is offered in very good order and has been improved by the present owners. Please note that the floor plan is not to scale and is to be used for identification purposes only.

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## STRATTON - £224,950

A modern cottage style three bedroom link-terraced house in a most desired location with excellent village pub located approx 4 miles from Dorchester.

The property comprises entrance hall, cloakroom, sitting/dining room, fitted kitchen, three double bedrooms and family bathroom.

The property is warmed by gas fired central heating and benefits from

sealed unit double glazing.

Outside there is an enclosed rear garden with wooden gate leading to a single garage and allocated parking space, set in a courtyard. Remaining NHBC in place.

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## SEATOWN - £750PCM

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Upstairs there are two double bedrooms, both of which enjoy sea views and a further single bedroom/study. To the rear of the property there is a enclosed rear garden and to the front there is a patio area where again you can appreciate the delightful views. The property also offers oil fired central heating and is available immediately for £750 per calendar month. For more information or to book a viewing please contact the Lettings Department on 01308 459565 or visit [www.symondsandsampson.co.uk](http://www.symondsandsampson.co.uk)



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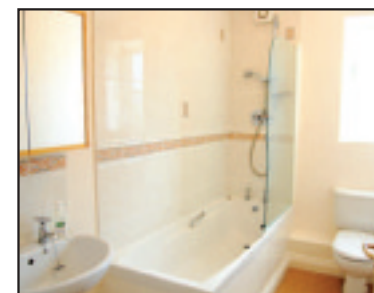
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## CHARMOUTH - £420,000



A detached, stone-built, three bedroom house, located in a quiet cul-de-sac in the heart of the village, with easy, level access to local amenities and the sea.  
Entrance Hall - Cloakroom - Sitting/Dining Room - Small Conservatory  
Kitchen - Utility - Three Bedrooms - Bathroom - Wc - Garage - Parking  
Workshop - Gardens - Coastal Village Location

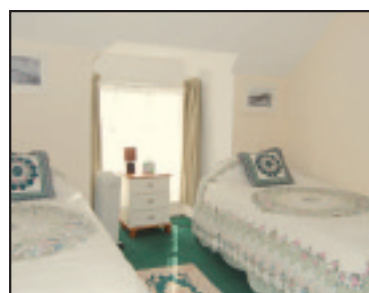
## CHARMOUTH - £225,000



Well presented 2 double bedroom first floor apartment, within a period building with a lift. Close to the village shops and easy walking distance of the Beach.  
Communal Entrance Lobby - Inner Lobby - Entrance Hall - Lounge - Kitchen/Dining Room - Two Double Bedrooms - Bathroom - Garage - Parking - Coastal Views.

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## CHARMOUTH - £315,000



A really pretty 3 bed end of terrace, thatched, period character cottage. Re-thatched 2008, Central Heating installed 2010.  
Lounge - Dining Room - Kitchen - Ground Floor Bathroom -  
First Floor - Three Bedrooms - Cloakroom - Enclosed Rear Garden -  
Summerhouse - UPVC DG - GCH

## CATHERSTON LEWESTON - £435,000



A spacious 4 Bedroom, 3 Bathroom Period House forming part of the Western Wing of a Grade II Listed Manor House. Beautiful Rural Setting with Coastal and Countryside Views. Reception Hall - Sitting Room - Dining Hall - Kitchen/Breakfast Room - Utility/Cloakroom - Large Landing Area with Open Study - Four Bedrooms - En-suite Bathroom - Shower Room - Family Bathroom - Garage - Communal Grounds

## CHARMOUTH - £350,000



A light, spacious and airy, semi-detached 4 bedroom house with great development potential. Although partly renovated with the benefit of a newly fitted kitchen, the house provides the perfect blank canvass to develop. Two Reception Rooms - Newly fitted Spacious Kitchen/Diner - Utility Room - Office/Study - Cloakroom with W.C. - Four Bedrooms - Bathroom - Parking for Two Cars and Small Garden Area - Gas Central Heating - Double Glazing.



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### UPLYME - £425,000



Situated on the edge of the village on the slopes of Horseman's Hill. Number 1 Happy Valley a 19th century former farmworkers cottage stands in a rural location at the end of Cuckoo Lane and a long private drive. On the ground floor two reception rooms, kitchen with larder, cloakroom and conservatory. To the first floor master bedroom with ensuite shower room, three further bedrooms and a family bathroom. Outside a workshop with attached carport and parking. An elevated summerhouse and decking area provide views over the open countryside, with a large patio area offering views to Cannington viaduct.

### HARCOMBE ROAD - £445,000



Farthings is a three/four bedroom detached house set in attractive gardens. Located in the favoured Raymond Hill area with easy access to Lyme Regis and Axminster.

### LYME REGIS - £199,950



A two bedroom semi detached house situated in a popular modern residential area of Lyme Regis. Entrance Hall - Living Room - Kitchen/Dining Room - Conservatory - Two Bedrooms - Shower Room - Garden - Garage - Parking - Views To The Sea.

### COOKS LANE - £387,500



This modern detached four bedroom bungalow completed 5 years ago and is in very good decorative order. It is located in the popular area of Raymonds Hill with easy access to Lyme Regis and Axminster.

### LYME REGIS - £575,000



- Entrance Hallway
- Wc/Shower Room
- Study - Kitchen
- Utility Room
- Dining Room
- Lounge
- Three Double Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Carport
- Garage • Driveway
- Gardens
- Greenhouse

### YAWL - £395,000



- Entrance Hall
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen/Breakfast Room
- Three Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Double Garage
- Studio/Workshop
- Gardens • Views

### LYME REGIS - £565,000



- Lounge/Dining Room With Elevated Balcony
- Kitchen • Bedroom 1
- En-Suite Shower Room/Wc & Sun Terrace
- 4 Further Bedrooms (1 With En-Suite Shower Room/Wc)
- Family Bathroom
- Utility Room
- Large Cellar Storage
- Garage • Parking
- Sun Patio And Large Gardens Including Orchard Area
- Hot Tub

### UPLYME - £315,000



- Hallway
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Living Room
- Sun Room
- Wc
- Master Bedroom With Ensuite Shower Room
- Two Further Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Parking
- Garden

### LYME REGIS - £295,000



- Entrance Hall
- Lounge
- Kitchen/Breakfast Room
- Two Double Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Gardens
- Garage
- Parking
- Sea Views

### LYME REGIS - £575,000

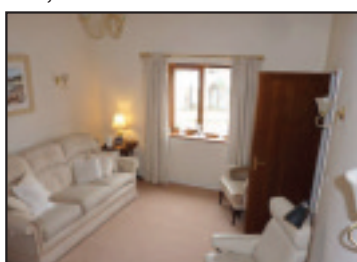


- Storm Porch
- Entrance Hall
- Ground Floor Wc
- Lounge
- Kitchen/Diner
- Study
- Three Bedrooms
- Master Ensuite
- Family Bathroom
- Gardens • Log Cabin
- Workshop
- Garage • Parking

### UPLYME - £265,000



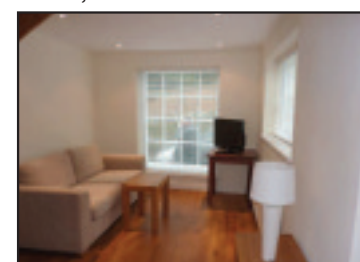
Situated in an elevated position with views over Uplyme and beyond is this 3 bedroom cottage style terraced property. Entrance hall - Sitting room - Dining room - Fully fitted kitchen - Downstairs Cloakroom - Landing - Three bedrooms - Master En-suite - Bathroom - Car parking space - Gardens - Gas central heating - Double glazed windows - Burglar alarm.



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## LYME REGIS

GUIDE PRICE £535,000

New  
Instruction



A high quality & individually designed modern detached house occupying a unique garden plot of approx 1/2 acre, quietly tucked away in the Lym Valley.

Lounge with feature fireplace.  
Galleried dining hall. Extensive studio room with potential as self-contained annexe. 3 Bedrooms. Dble garage.  
Delightful landscaped gardens.



## TRINITY HILL

£310,000

New  
Instruction



A well maintained detached bungalow with attractive level gardens & stunning views across the Axe Valley. Lounge.  
Conservatory. Sun room.  
2 Bedrooms. Loft room. Large garage & gravelled parking area.



## LYME REGIS

GUIDE PRICE £320,000

New  
Instruction



A very spacious Penthouse apartment in an impressive Victorian residence with considerable character. 2 Bedrooms.  
Spectacular sea & coastal views.  
Communal garden area with secluded patio overlooking the sea.  
Double garage.



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- Kitchen
- Shower Room
- Small Balcony
- Bedroom Area
- Resident Parking
- No Onward Chain

#### BRIDPORT

£124,950



- Two Double Bedrooms
- Top Floor Flat
- Located In Town Centre
- Ideal First Buy
- Fantastic Buy To Let
- Currently Let At £550 Pcm
- Phone For Details
- No Chain

#### BRIDPORT

£129,950



- Two Bedrooms
- Excellent Views
- Close To Town Centre
- Garage
- Viewing Advised
- Currently Let £575 Pcm
- No Chain

#### BRIDPORT

£160,000



- Two Bedroom
- Terraced Cottage
- Ideal Investment Property
- Currently Let £595 Pcm
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- Bathroom
- Garden
- No Chain

#### WEST BAY

£170,000



- Kiosk
- Rare Opportunity
- Harbour Frontage
- Refurbished Inside
- Phone For Details

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£174,950



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- End Terrace House
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- Landin/office
- No Onward Chain

#### BRIDPORT

£229,950



- Two Bedroom
- Semi Detached Bungalow
- Corner Plot
- Panoramic Views
- In Need Of Updating
- No Onward Chain

#### BEAMINSTER

£234,950



- Five Bedroom
- Semi Detached Family Home
- Two Reception Rooms
- Kitchen/Diner
- Utility Room
- Downstairs Cloakroom
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- Double Garage

#### BRIDPORT

£237,950



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- Newly Refurbished
- Set On A Corner Plot
- Garage And Parking
- No Onward Chain
- Phone For Details

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- Detached Studio

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- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Enclosed Garden
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- Situated Next To Harbour
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£325,000



- Freehold Shop
- Situated In East Street
- Income £18,000 Per Annum
- Variety Of Uses
- Subject To Planning
- Call For More Information

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£350,000



- Three Bedroom Bungalow
- Dual Aspect Living Room
- En-suite And Bathroom
- Two Offices
- Garage And Parking
- Annexe Potential
- Viewing Advised
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#### LYME REGIS

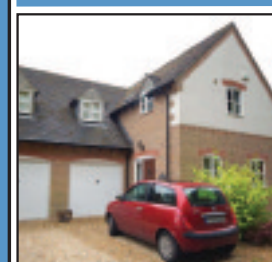
£399,950



- Four Bedroom
- Family Home
- Kitchen/ Breakfast Room
- Study
- Utility Room
- En Suite
- Shower Room
- Enclosed Garden
- Garage And Parking

#### BRIDPORT

£425,000



- Five Bedroom
- Detached Family Home
- Two En Suites
- Country Views
- Double Garage
- Enclosed Garden
- No Chain
- Viewing Advised

#### CHARMOUTH

£850 PCM



- A modern family home. Comprising of kitchen, sitting room, downstairs cloakroom, master bedroom with en-suite, two further bedrooms and family bathroom. Outside patio and decked area. Off street parking. Available Now - UF.

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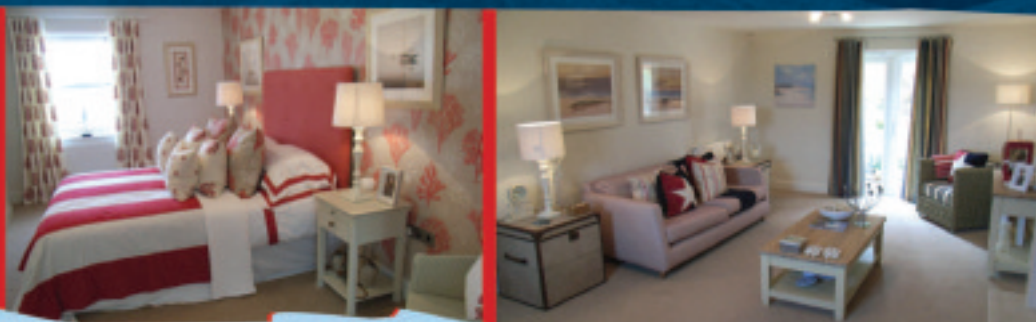


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Walking Distance of the Sea Front  
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Driveway and Parking for Several Cars  
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Cottage Style Detached House in Phase One  
Sitting Room with Open Fire and Separate Dining Room  
Refined Kitchen/Breakfast Room and Utility Room  
Three Double Bedrooms, Two Shower Rooms, One En  
Suite  
Sealed Unit Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating  
Enclosed Garden, Single Garage and Guest Parking  
**£385,000 Freehold**



## Mosterton

Delightful Grade II Listed Thatched Cottage  
Sitting Room with Open Fireplace  
Separate Dining Room with Open Fireplace  
Three Double Bedrooms and Superb Bathroom  
Newly Fitted Bespoke Kitchen/Breakfast Room  
Garden, Garage/Workshop and Parking  
**£350,000 Freehold**



## Preston

Popular Area with Local Facilities and Coastal Access  
3rd Reception Rooms and Loft Room  
Refined Kitchen/Breakfast Room and Shower Room  
Gas Fired Central Heating and Double Glazing  
Front and Rear Gardens, Garage and Parking  
Benefiting from Views and No Forward Chain  
**£325,000 Freehold**



## Frampton

Grade II Listed Attached Thatched Cottage  
Popular Village Location Close to the County Town  
Sitting Room with Inglenook Fireplace  
Dining Hall, Seag, Utility and Kitchen/Breakfast Room  
Four Bedrooms and Family Bathroom  
Enclosed Courtyard Garden and Off Road Parking  
**£287,500 Freehold**



## Crossways

Popular Village Location with Local Shops and Facilities  
Sitting Room with Fireplace and Separate Dining Room  
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Three Double Bedrooms, En Suite and Family Bathroom  
Double Glazing and Gas Fired Central Heating  
Single Garage with Allocated Parking Space Adjacent  
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## Dorchester

Popular Residential Location in the County Town  
Sitting/Dining Room and Kitchen with Utility Area  
Three Double Bedrooms and Family Bathroom  
Ground and First Floor Cloakrooms  
Double Glazing and Gas Fired Central Heating  
Garden, Garage and Driveway  
**£249,950 Freehold**



## Crossways

Popular Village Location with Amenities  
Sitting Room, Separate Dining Area and Conservatory  
Refined Kitchen/Breakfast Room  
Three Bedrooms and Family Bathroom  
Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating  
Garden, Integral Garage and Parking  
**£239,950 Freehold**



## Dorchester

Small Detached with No Forward Chain  
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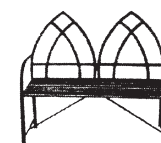
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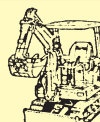
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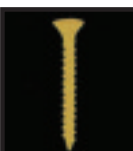
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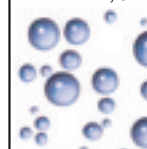
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## Ford's chocolate-inspired weight saving technology

In their never-ending quest to reduce weight and therefore emissions and fuel use, Ford's engineers have taken inspiration from the Aero chocolate bar to produce lighter plastic parts by injecting gas bubbles during manufacturing.

There are many areas where weight can be saved by changing the type or grade of metal used to a stronger, lighter material to trim kilos from the kerb weight. Plastic parts are an area where it is traditionally difficult to save weight without sacrificing strength, durability or function, but Ford has found a solution. MuCell technology introduces gas bubbles into the plastic as it is moulded, leaving a microscopic honeycomb structure. These tiny spaces save weight by reducing the amount of plastic used, without compromising the integrity of the part.

Weight plays a key role in vehicle emissions and reducing the overall mass of the vehicle results in improvements to fuel economy and carbon emissions. Vehicle weights have increased in the last 30 years to allow for much greater levels of equipment and radically improved safety attributes. Ford has targeted reducing weight while still providing class leading levels of equipment and 5-star Euro NCAP safety ratings.

MuCell brings a host of other benefits with lower pressures used to mould the plastic and up to 33 per cent more parts per hour than a conventional process. This increase in speed and efficiency reduces energy consumption, manufacturing emissions and cost for parts produced using the innovative technique.

Ford's MuCell technology expert Carsten Starke is excited by the potential of the new process: "The first time I saw this plastic under the microscope I thought to myself it looks like an Aero chocolate bar! The bubbles in the chocolate change the taste, but in our plastics they save weight and making cars lighter reduces emissions and fuel consumption significantly," he said.

"We are saving weight in many ways, not just by using this new plastic, because lighter cars handle better, accelerate faster and stop more quickly. For the customer it is win-win, the plastic is 20 per cent lighter without increasing cost or reducing strength and it will help make their Ford better in almost every aspect."

The MuCell technology will see its first application in engine covers on vehicles such as Focus, C-MAX and Grand C-MAX, S-MAX, Mondeo and Galaxy in the next few years. Ford has committed to a minimum of 100kg weight reduction from even its smallest cars and 300kg from larger cars by 2020 as part of environmental initiatives. Weight saving, including deploying MuCell technology, is also achieved from other materials such as high-strength Boron steels which are used extensively in Ford models.

These new materials join innovations such as the EcoBoost petrol engines, which allow the use of more efficient, lower capacity engines even in larger vehicles without sacrificing performance. A range of other measures including automatic stop-start engines, aerodynamic grille shutters and low rolling resistance tyres make Ford's ECONetic models amongst the most efficient on sale.

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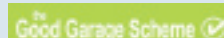
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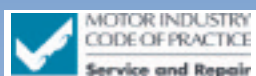
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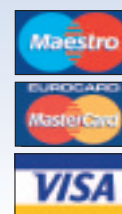
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## PERRY STREET LEAGUE

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## LYME RETAIN CORONATION CUP

## ● Beaminster lose ground in title race

## CORONATION CUP FINAL

**Lyme Regis 2 Perry Street 1**  
**Thursday, March 31st - at Bridport**

AN 80th minute Jason Hawker goal ended Perry Street dreams of lifting the Coronation Cup for the first time in 40 years as Lyme Regis retained the trophy for the first time in their history under the floodlights at Bridport's St Mary's Ground on Thursday evening.

Lyme went into the game as clear favourites having won their last six encounters with 'the Mothers' who were also without prolific striker Stuart Packer who was ineligible.

The Seasideers were also missing injured top-scorer Julien Simier and his possible replacement Joe Bond who was on holiday in Budapest. This led Lyme manager Robin Townsend into opting for a 4-5-1 line-up with Hawker as the lone striker.

Lyme went close in the fifth minute when Joel Gostling's corner was headed goal wards by Steve Batey. But with 'keeper Mike Govier beaten, Kane Ellis lashed the ball of the line.

Street took the lead against the run of play five minutes later when Govier's opposite number Ashley Caddy dawdled over a clearance, his kick was charged down by livewire striker Ben Stevens. The rebound fell to Matt Cahill who calmly side-footed the ball into the empty net.

Soon after Caddy atoned for his error with a sharp save to keep out a low effort by Stevens.

Lyme drew level in the 17th minute when referee Simon White correctly pointed to the penalty spot after Gostling was scythed down by Ellis who was fortunate not to receive a card of either colour.

Mark Bailey stepped up to coolly slot home his 10th goal of the season and the Seasideers moved into the ascendancy.

But despite bossing the midfield battle Townsend's side failed to create any clear-cut chances and were guilty at times of overplaying as the half ended with the sides all-square.

Steve Batey squandered a good chance

soon after the restart when he headed a Bailey free-kick over the bar when well-placed.

Batey turned creator on the hour when his cross reached unmarked Dom Rowe at the far post but the defender failed to make contact.

The winner arrived 10 minutes from time when a cross ricocheted to Hawker who slotted home via an upright for an early present to mark his 43rd birthday on Sunday.

With Perry Street now forced to chase an equaliser a sprinkling of chances came Lyme's way late-on. Adam Caddy drilled a low shot just past the post following good work by Rob Thomson and substitute Dan Thirlwell. Then Govier did well to keep out shots from Thirlwell and Gostling before pulling off a double save to deny Caddy at the death.

Top performers for Lyme were Steve Batey and Gostling.

## Jack Venn Semi-Finals

**Beaminster Res 0 Dowlish & Donyatt 3**  
BEAMINSTER Reserves had a day to forget and were dumped out of the Jack Venn Cup by visiting Dowlish & Donyatt. The Rainbows slipped behind in the 20th minute and never looked likely to force their way back into the game.

Manager Robin Ormsby changed his formation from 4-5-1 to 4-4-2 at half-time but it had little effect and Beaminster conceded twice more and lost their unbeaten home record.

## PREMIER

**Lyme Regis 7 W & M Chinnock 2**

AFTER tough league encounters against South Petherton and Beaminster Lyme Regis threw off the shackles and tore into bottom-of-the-table West & Middle Chinnock from the first whistle.

The Seasideers took the lead in the 2nd minute when Adam Caddy's driven cross was diverted into his own net by veteran-defend Nigel Tucker.

Caddy made it 2-0 in the 18th minute when he beat Chinnocks' 'keeper Matt

Alford at his near post.

Alford had more problems soon after when he picked up a back pass and referee Paul Spurrell awarded an indirect free-kick just four yards out. Caddy rolled the kick to Rob Thomson who drilled a low shot through the visitors' massed ranks.

Thompson then weaved past three defenders before calmly picking his spot to make it 4-0 on the half-hour.

Aaron Cleal struck a post soon after and a rout looked on the cards. But the visitors capitalised as complacency crept into the Seasideers' game. Ollie Hutchings pulled one back in first-half injury time and Russell Lock added a second five minutes after the restart.

But the unlikely comeback was halted when Caddy bagged his second after Steve Batey's header had rebounded off a post.

Lyme were pleased to have top-scorer Julien Simier back amongst their ranks after a period spent recovering from a perforated ear-drum. And the Frenchman announced his return in fine style with a ferocious drive after coming off the bench. The scoring was completed by Cleal in the 83rd minute with a 20-yard left-footer.

## Farway Utd 1 Beaminster 1

BEAMINSTER'S title hopes received a setback as they were held by Farway United at Eastlee Park.

But despite dropping the two points Rainbows' manager Sean Annetts was pleased with his sides performance, he said: "I thought that was the best we have played for several weeks. If we could have capitalised on the chances we created, especially in the first-half, we would have won the game quite comfortably." As it was the teams were only separated at the interval by a Murray Legg header after good work by left-back Ted Boswell.

"I was sure if we remained patient more goals would come, but to be fair to Farway they came back into the game in the last 25 minutes and created a couple of

decent half-chances and Adam Herring made one terrific save," said Annetts.

In the end the Rainbows were made to pay for a defensive error and Ben Williams earned his side a point with the equaliser.

## Perry Street 1 South Petherton 3

SOUTH Petherton took another step towards the title with a 3-1 win at struggling Perry Street.

A James Cattigan goal gave Pethy the lead at the interval and a double from Rich Hebditch, the second a penalty, ensured there would be no slip ups akin to Beaminster's.

Stuart Packer did manage a late consolation for the Mothers

## DIVISION ONE

**Lyme Regis Res 2 Ilminster Colts 1**

LYME Regis Reserves hauled themselves out of the relegation zone for the first time since the opening weeks of the season with a nervy 2-1 victory over Ilminster Town Colts who are themselves far from safe.

The Seasideers dominated for an hour and struck the woodwork four times in addition to goals from Fred Thomson and Luke Street. But they sat back on their lead and The Blues grabbed a lifeline when veteran Andy Fish pounced on a loose ball to set-up a tense last 15 minutes.

But Lyme clung on to extend their unbeaten run to four games.

## Charmouth 5 Perry Street Res 0

CHARMOUTH hammered five past Perry Street to record their biggest win in two years - and this despite manager Nick Pomeroy missing six regulars and being forced to name both himself and club chairman Wayne Causely as substitutes! Promising youngster Orrin Newbury opened the scoring with a free-kick on the quarter-hour before skipper Paul Miners doubled the advantage with a long range scorcher.

Miners added his second early in the second-half and the Robins never looked back.

Top scorer Adam Cody-Boutcher bagged his eighth of the campaign before Newbury rounded things off with his fifth in four games.

## Forton Rangers 0 Netherbury 1

ALTHOUGH the score line may not suggest it, Netherbury put in a convincing performance against mid-table Forton Rangers. They flew out of the traps and put the host under pressure with their pace up front and movement from their wingers Lee Quincy and James Sayers.

The Ambers created several good chances to go in front, but they were indebted to their own goalkeeper Adam Sorrell for a superb double save on 25 minutes.

As the second-half wore on even more chances came and went through a combination of good saves and inaccurate finishing. It was not until the 80th minute, when Aaron Marshall crossed for Tim Hussey to volley home.

"I thought it was going to be one of those days for us," said Chairman Dave Symonds. Assistant manager Paul Cuff was delighted to walk away with a vital win and added: "we created enough chances to win two games, but I was really pleased with how we kept pushing and got what we deserved".

## DIVISION TWO

**Chard Rangers 2 Uplyme 3**

UPLYME banished any faint relegation worries with a 3-2 win over lowly Chard Rangers at Jocelyn Park.

Stuart King put the Swallows ahead with an acrobatic hooked effort in the third minute. The lead was doubled soon after when Gavin Fowler latched onto a long goal-kick and slotted home his 17th goal of the season.

But Uplyme manager Rob Coombe was

disappointed to see his team fail to make the game safe, he said: "We became really complacent and they made us pay".

Josh Rolfe reduced the arrears and the Rangers also struck the woodwork. The leveller came in bizarre circumstances 10 minutes from time as Coombe explained: "One of their players (Dave Aston) scored with a header but our linesman, Geoff Fisher, had his flag up for offside. But the referee (Brendan Luesley) refused to rule to goal out because none of our defenders appealed for offside!" said Coombe.

There was still time for Uplyme to recover their composure and bag a late winner when Jack Borgeat crossed for James Beddows to nod home a bullet header.

## DIVISION FOUR

**Waytown Hounds 4 Chard Rangers Res 0**  
THE Hounds recovered from last week's disappointment at Thorncombe to cruise past Chard Rangers Reserves at Netherbury.

Ethen Guppy opened the scoring before setting up Tom Rutland for the second before the interval. Gary Goodall headed home number three from a corner and Man-of-the-Match Leigh Hansford linked well with Dan Dunford who curled home the fourth.

## RESULTS

## Jack Venn Semi-Finals

Beaminster Res 0 Dowlish & Donyatt 3  
S Petherton Res 0 Shepton Beauchamp 2

## PREMIER

Lyme Regis 7 W & M Chinnock 2  
Barrington 2 Merriott Rovers 0  
Combe Res 3 Ilminster Res 1  
Farway Utd 1 Beaminster 1  
Perry Street 1 South Petherton 3

## DIVISION ONE

Lyme Regis Res 2 Ilminster Colts 1  
Charmouth 5 Perry Street Res 0  
Forton 0 Netherbury 1  
Millway Rise 1 Winsham Utd 3  
Thorncombe 1 Crewkerne Town 2

## DIVISION TWO

Chard Rangers 2 Uplyme 3  
Crewkerne Rangers 3 Hawkchurch Utd 3  
Hinton 3 Forton Res 0  
**DIVISION THREE**  
Combe A 3 Millway Rise Res 4  
Crewkerne Town Res 2 Chard United 0  
Luso-Chard 4 Farway Utd Res 0  
Winsham Utd Res 8 Drimpton 3

## DIVISION FOUR

Hawkchurch Res 2 Barrington Res 6  
Shepton Beau Res 4 Combe B 3  
Waytown Hounds 4 Chard Rangers Res 0  
W & M Chinnock Res 11 Ilminster A 4

## FIXTURES

**Last night - Tuesday, April 5th**

## PREMIER

Ilminster Town Res v South Petherton  
Lyme Regis v Farway United  
**DIVISION ONE**  
Perry Street Res v Millway Rise  
Winsham United v Crewkerne Town  
**DIVISION TWO**  
Hinton v Dowlish & Donyatt  
Pymore v Beaminster Res  
**DIVISION FOUR**  
Barrington Res v Shepton Beau Res

**Thursday, April 7th**

## PREMIER

Combe Res v Misterton  
Merriott Rovers v Beaminster  
Perry Street v W & M Chinnock  
**DIVISION ONE**  
Lyme Regis Res v Netherbury  
**DIVISION THREE**  
Crewkerne Res v Misterton Res  
**DIVISION FOUR**  
Chard Utd Res v Thorncombe Res  
Waytown Hounds v Hinton Res

**Saturday, April 9th**

**FINAL DECIDER:** Jason Hawker netted Lyme Regis' winner in the 2-1 Coronation Cup Final win over Perry Street.



**DOUBLE:** Charmouth captain Paul Miners scored twice in Charmouth's stunning 5-0 win.



**WINNER:** James Beddows headed a late winner for Uplyme at Chard Rangers Reserves.

PREMIER	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
South Petherton	14	13	1	0	66	14	40
Beaminster	14	10	3	1	41	12	33
Lyme Regis	13	9	3	1	40	15	30
Merriott Rovers	16	9	2	5	46	34	29
Farway United	13	5	3	5	35	28	18
Ilminster Res	13	6	0	7	20	34	18
Combe Reserves	17	4	2	11	28	48	14
Barrington	16	3	4	9	30	53	13
Perry Street	15	3	3	9	22	32	12
Misterton	14	2	4	8	25	51	10
W & M Chinnock	15	2	3	10	26	55	9

DIVONE	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Crewkerne Town	13	11	1	1	74	16	40
Winsham United	15	12	0	3	51	17	36
Millway Rise	15	11	2	2	72	21	35
Netherbury	14	10	0	4	37	28	30
Forton Rangers	16	8	2	6	38	38	26
Ilminster Colts	17	5	1	11	34	59	16
Perry Street Res	14	5	1	8	25	52	16
Norton Athletic	18	5	1	12	27	61	16
Lyme Regis Res	15	4	3	8	26	55	13
Thorncombe	17	4	1	12	27	51	13
Charmouth	16	3	0	13	23	55	9

DIVTWO	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Shepton Beau	14	9	5	0	47	11	32
Dowlish & Don	16	10	1	5	47	25	31
Beaminster Res	13	9	3	1	49	20	30
Hinton Reserves	16	8	3	5	42	37	27
South Peth Res	17	7	3	7	38	38	24
Uplyme	15	6	2	7	50	39	20
Hawkchurch Utd	16	5	3	8	38	48	18
Crewk Rangers	17	5	3	9	36	54	18
Pymore	12	4	2	6	25	39	14
Chard Rangers	15	3	3	9	34	62	12
Forton Reserves	15	2	2	11	24	63	8

DIVTHREE	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Crewkerne Res	15	12	1	2	65	25	37
Luso-Chard	16	9	2	5	65	32	29
Chard United	15	8	2	5	42	27	26
Misterton Res	10	8	1	1	41	20	25
Combe A	17	7	2	8	43	45	23
Winsham Res	15	6	3	6	53	53	21
Millway Rise Res	14	3	3	8	29	41	12
Farway Utd Res	14	3	3	8	20	59	12
Drimpton	15	3	3	9	23	67	12
Lyme Bantams	15	3	2	10	27	39	11

DIVFOUR	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Hinton Reserves	15	12	2	1	52	21	38
W & M Chinn Res	15	12	1	2	100	28	37
Waytown Hnds	13	9	1	3	40	22	28
Shepton Res	16	8	1	7	44	49	24
Chard United Res	14	7	1	6	37	37	22
Combe B	16	6	3	7	42	49	21
Thorncombe Res	16	5	3	8	24	43	18
Ilminster Town A	14	6	0	8	51	43	17
Barrington Res	14	5	3	6	39	40	16
Hawkchurch Res	18	2	3	13	26	81	8
Chard Rang Res	17	2	2	13	24	66	8
(* = POINT DEDUCTED)							

**ARTHUR GAGE - Semi-Final**  
SPeth Res v Crewkerne Res**DAISY HUTCHINGS CUP****Semi-Final**

Combe A v Beaminster Res

**PREMIER**

Barrington v Farway Utd  
Beaminster v S Petherton  
Ilminster Res v Lyme Regis  
Merriott Rovers v Perry Street

**DIVISION ONE**

Forton v Perry Street Res  
Lyme Regis Res v Norton Ath  
Millway Rise v Charmouth  
Netherbury v Ilminster Colts  
Winsham Utd v Thorncombe

**DIVISION TWO**

Chard Rangers v Hinton  
Pymore v Hawkchurch United  
Shepton Beau v Uplyme

**DIVISION THREE**

Farway Res v Drimpton  
Lyme Bantams v Millway Res  
Misterton Res v Luso-Chard

**DIVISION FOUR**

Chard Utd Res v Barrn Res  
Hawk Res v Thorncombe Res  
Ilm A v Waytown Hounds  
Chinnock Res v Chard Ran Res

YOUTH  
FOOTBALL

LYME Regis u13s remian firmly in the hunt for the Dorset Division One League title after a 5-1 victory over Parkstone at the Davey Fort on Sunday.

Brad Rowe opened the scoring before doubles from Fred Parsons and James Souter completed the convincing win.

With five matches to play The young seasideers have games in hand on their title rivals.

Table (top)	PGD Pts
Weym'th Terras	15 39 31
Kingswood	15 16 31
Lyme Regis	13 51 30
Bridport	15 33 30
Dorch'Town	13 26 30
Parkstone	14 12 25

## Cribbage winners



◆ **WINNERS:** Barry Rattenbury (left) and Dave Henson pictured collecting the Pairs Trophy (above) at last weeks Lyme Regis Cribbage League finals night. Meanwhile, (below) the Nags Head team lift the Knock-out Cup.



## Malcolm Clark

JUST two weeks before the start of the new season-Lyme Regis Bowling Club has lost one of it's longest serving members.

Malcolm Clark joined the Club in 1984, travelling as he did from Cattistock he could well have chosen clubs closer to home, but he chose Lyme Regis.

He bowled at the highest level within the Club and has his name on many of the trophies.

Not only was he a very accomplished bowler, he could also turn his hand to any DIY jobs around the club, his particular forte was working with wood. There are many wooden items about the club which will serve as a reminder of Malcolm's time with us.

His funeral took place at Cattistock church this Monday, 4th April, and was attended by 30 members of Lyme Regis Bowls Club, a testament to the affection Club members had for Malcolm.



WEST DORSET FOOTBALL

WITH STUART BROOM

# Moss strike foils The Iron

## Magpies exact revenge on Saints

**St ALBANS CITY 1 DORCHESTER TOWN 4**  
Blue Square South - Att: 142

DORCHESTER Town exacted revenge for the defeat in the reverse fixture at The Avenue just two weeks ago with a commanding victory over St Albans City last Tuesday.

The defeat by the Blue Square South bottom side meant the Magpies needed to win to enhance their own chances of survival, and although there was a late scare when Adam Everitt cut their two goal lead with just two minutes left, the Magpies responded by adding another two goals in the closing minutes to put them at least seven points clear of the relegation places.

There was not a lot of goalmouth action in the first half until the final minute when Ryan Moss scored his first goal for over three months when he fired home from close range after James Coutts fed him following Steve Devlin's corner.

St Albans showed a bit more immediately after the interval with Everitt heading wide from Ryan Frater's free kick, before Dorchester increased their lead when Nick Crittenden drilled a low cross into the box. Moss couldn't get enough on it for a shot but the ball ran to skipper Mark Jermyn who smashed the ball past Conor Gough.

Crittenden should have made the game safe when Chris Flood controlled Gough's clearance, but was then bundled over by the keeper as he went to round him. However Crittenden's spot kick was too close to Gough who blocked the shot.

The former Glover was frustrated again soon after when his header clipped the top of the bar.

Then with two minutes left of normal time Everitt pulled one back when he picked up sub Tony Battersby's pass to drive his shot past Regan Coward and in off the right-hand post.

However Reece Connolly soon restored the two goal advantage with his third goal in two games with a well placed shot from the edge of the box, before Devlin wrapped up the match in style with a superb curling effort from the left-hand edge of the box that left Gough helpless.

**BRAINTREE UNITED 1 DORCHESTER TOWN 1**  
Blue Square South - Att: 561

A LATE Ryan Moss goal, his second in successive matches, earned Dorchester Town a valuable point at league leaders Braintree on Saturday.

Although they did not create many chances against a side that has just signed former QPR striker Kevin Gallen, they restricted The Iron to just one goal thanks to a brilliant double save by Dan Thomas who has just returned for a second loan spell from AFC Bournemouth.

Thomas had been called into action as early as the eight minute to save from Glen Poole after Brad Quinton had cut the ball back to him, but he could do nothing about the goal that gave the hosts the lead. A flowing move out of defence saw Jai Reason find former Weymouth striker Cliff Akurang on the left side of the penalty area and his volley beat Thomas.

Dorchester's best effort of the first half saw Chris Flood

find Reece Connolly at the far post but he couldn't fully get his head around it and the ball went wide. Thomas then saved well from Quinton's 25-yarder after Gallen had put him in with a header just before the break.

Thomas saved his best until the second half however when he got down to block Poole's snap shot from the edge of the area before quickly getting up to deny Quinton's follow up.

The introduction of Doug Bergqvist and Nick Crittenden with 20 minutes to go, saw the Aldershot defender come into the middle of the defence and Gary Bowles moved forward into midfield, allowing Steve Devlin to revert to his usual wide left position.

This gave Dorchester more momentum, but it looked to be too late until Moss cut inside his marker and fired a shot beyond Irons keeper Nathan McDonald from the edge of the box with just a minute left on the clock.

With St Albans City having lost their appeal against a ten point deduction, which means relegation is virtually a formality, Dorchester are still seven points above the relegation zone, and a win against Lewes on Saturday would put a ten point gap between the two sides with a game in hand over the Sussex side.

## Bees keep pressure on

**BRIDPORT 2 CALNE TOWN 1**  
Toolstation Division One - Att: 142

BRIDPORT kept the pressure on their promotion rivals and retake second place after coming from a goal down to beat a useful Calne Town side, unbeaten for eight games, at St Mary's Field.

Having gone a goal behind midway through the first-half, Sam Charles grabbed an equaliser just before the break and Dan Wise secured all three points with a penalty on 67 minutes.

With Oldlands Abbotoians being held by Bradford Town and Cadbury Heath crashing to Melksham, it meant that Bridport retook second spot, two points clear of Cadbury who have played a game more, and three ahead of Oldlands who have a game in hand.

Manager Trevor Senior kept an unchanged starting eleven from that which beat Melksham Town, but with Darren Watts unavailable, he brought in Ashley Clarke on the bench.

Bridport opened brightly and manufactured two or three good positions without finding the final ball, and it was Calne who found the goal when after Sam Filkins did well to beat away Ryan Welland's angled drive. However the rebound fell to Jordan Roberts who scored from ten yards.

Darren Lock was unlucky soon after when his shot was cleared off the line following Matt Condliffe's corner, but the Bees equalised two minutes before halftime when Ryan Dovell got on the end of Shane Evans' long free-kick to head the ball into Sam Charles' path, and he forced the ball over the line.

The Bees came out with more purpose after the break, and Wise was unlucky with a shot that clipped the outside of the post within the first minute, but gradually Bridport gained the upper hand and they went ahead when Russell Legg was picked out by Matt Condliffe. The former Rainbows midfielder cut along the edge of the penalty area and started to turn inside the box

when he was felled by Kyle Rigley. Wise kept his cool to neatly drive the ball beyond Lilywhite's keeper Jamie Bartlett's left hand.

Bridport, noses in front went looking for a third, and Charles' effort from Wise's cross was just wide, before Dovell forced Bartlett into a point blank save.

Sam Filkins ensured Bridport took all the points with an excellent save; clawing away Levi Cox's shot from close range two minutes from the end, before Wise drove his free kick just wide of the upright in the dying seconds.

## Bees move to safety

**BRIDPORT RES 2 STURMINSTER NEWTON UTD 1**

THIS victory saw Bridport Reserves move to a midtable position of safety, although their three goal interval lead flattered them a bit.

Sturminster Newton, despite being rooted to the bottom of the Magna Dorset Premier League, were quicker to the ball in the first 15 minutes and made Bridport work.

However once Tristan Gale converted Ben Clarke's good work and cross midway through the first-half, Bridport improved and they scored two more quickly to effectively kill the game off.

More good work by Ben Clarke, this time turning a couple of visiting defenders, gave Gale the opportunity to add his second, before Adam Steele scored his first goal for the club, and one to remember with a 25-yard drive into the top left-hand corner of the net.

The second was much more even with both sides creating and missing chances, although Stur did pull a goal back ten minutes from the end, but Bridport had no trouble hanging on to victory.

Joint manager Steve Crabb said: "It was a bit flattering to be three up at the interval because they came flying out of the blocks and didn't deserve to be so far behind.

"We've played better and lost, and so I suppose it's nice to be winning when you don't play so well.

"The second-half was much more even and we looked good going forward. We won it comfortably in the end but didn't really excel."

**Bridport Wanderers U12s 2**  
**Lychett Red Triangle 4**

WITH only two matches remaining Wanderers were keen to put on a good performance, and their midfield soon cut through the visitors with some excellent play, particularly Ben Joy and Adam Halford.

Bridport took the lead when Halford's brilliant cross was turned in by a Lychett defender, and despite more opportunities was the only goal of the first-half.

Bridport continued to play well into the second-half and Ethan Williams increased their lead.

Unfortunately Bridport began to tire and Lychett his back with four goals. Bridport finding a second wind recovered in the final 10 minutes and Liam Tuck hit the bar.

Manager Anthony Lockley said: "The score did not reflect the way we played, and I am very proud of my team especially Man-of-the-Match Kieran Park who has improved immensely this season. He is becoming a really good goalkeeper."

# Bob Buckler horse racing

## Ashbourne Folly on the mend

IT HAS been a quiet week at Henley with no horses scheduled to race until Tuesday when **Champagne Rosie** was listed to run at Exeter, and three at Fontwell Park on Friday.

Meanwhile it appears that Bob Buckler has got to the bottom of the poor showing of his four horses the previous weekend.

After a good day at Newbury on Saturday, the stable were disappointed at the running of **Cullahill** on Sunday at Wincanton, **Crank Hill** at Towcester and **Small Fly** and favourite **Ethiopia** at Plumpton on Monday.

Blood tests on all four show that it appears there is a virus in the yard, with all four results showing the white cells in the ascendency. Although not serious it would explain their poor performances.

"None of them ran up to form," said Buckler. "It's not major, and although it doesn't appear to be too virulent, it would account for their running, none of which at the time made much sense."

There is good news about **Ashbourne Folly** who pulled up in the bumper at Chepstow and was diagnosed as having a longitudinal crack in his left cannon bone.

"He's had eight screws inserted in his leg which is now in a plaster cast, and there is an 80 per cent chance that he will make a full recovery."

The only problem is that as the crack is the whole length of the bone that a bit of arthritis could set in, which would mean he wouldn't be fit enough to race again, but we are hopeful of a full recovery," said Buckler.

**The Sawyer** is set to run at Auteuil in France later this month instead of Saturday's Grand National, and although it is unlikely he would have got in the Aintree event, unless there had been more rain he wouldn't have run anyway. Auteuil offers much heavier ground that suits Buckler's horse.

**Mizzurka** was also scheduled for France but will not now run.

## Bridport Skittles League

Cup fixtures for week beginning Monday, April 11th:

**Mens Pairs - 4th Round** (Monday, April 11th)

Bridport Football Club - L Dare & C Barnes; R Pincombe & D Cooper; A Paulley & R Frampton; D Horton & M Horton; M Huxter & N Gurd; K Sorrell & B Pye; J Cook & S Symonds; M Powell & S Lee.

**Ladies Pairs - 3rd Round** (Tuesday, April 12th)

West Dorset Club - S Newman & G Legg; M Hansford & S Galpin; K Johnson & T Sadler; V Burt & B Lee; S Tompkins & J Dawe; C Huxter & R Chubb; C Clare & C Lambert; K Tuck & J Symes.

## Beaminster & Bridport Pool League tables

Tables after week16

Division One	P	W	D	F	A	+/	Pts
Rack n' Roll.....	14	9	2	84	56	28	84
Bendiwafflebangers...14	9	1	84	56	28	84	
Red Hot Shots.....14	8	3	81	59	22	81	
Trawler.....14	8	0	79	61	18	79	
Ringers.....15	6	3	77	73	4	77	
Magnets.....15	5	6	74	76	-2	74	
Can't Pool Be Pool.....14	4	5	68	72	-4	68	
West Dorset Wonders.14	2	4	55	85	-30	55	
Hots Hit.....14	1	1	38	102	-64	38	

Division Two	P	W	D	F	A	+/	Pts
Oak Bokes.....12	8	3	81	39	42	81	
Oak Royale.....12	8	3	74	46	28	74	
King Shots.....14	4	6	72	68	4	72	
Anchors.....13	5	5	69	61	8	69	
Nelson's Flagship.....12	5	5	64	56	8	64	
Half Nelson.....12	5	3	61	59	2	61	
Hopeless.....12	0	2	36	84	-48	36	



■ CLOSE: Lyme Regis midfielder Steve Batey (extreme left) heads goalwards in last Thursday's Coronation Cup Final at Bridport's St Mary's Ground. The Perry Street defence cleared Batey's fifth minute effort off the line but the Seasiders were undeterred and went on to win the trophy for the eighth time with Mark Bailey and Jason Hawker scoring in a 2-1 victory.

Photo by JON MATTHEWS



## DORCHESTER BOXING

# Jamie gets late call and is a knockout

DORCHESTER Boxing Club's Jamie Gosney went along to support his friend Liam Gould who was appearing on the recent Exmouth Boxing Tournament, and ended up in the ring himself.

Gould was fighting the home club's Nathan Fowler on a bill that topped the poll so far this season for entertainment.

Fowler, the bigger boxer, soon confirmed his advantage in strength over the taller Gould as he eased into his stride, but the Dorchester boxer landed an upper cut and a solid right hand to let Fowler know he was in for a fight.

Gould started the second round aggressively firing with both hands, and whilst Fowler couldn't land cleanly he stood his ground. However a resolute and ambitious bid by Gould towards the end of the round took Fowler apart and rendered his earlier chal-

lenge realistically over.

Gould, showing great heart, came out at a canter for the final round but when he missed with a lunging right, he was stopped in his tracks by Gould's counter.

Then just before the end, a short jolting left hook had Fowler leaning over the ropes at the final bell, giving the Dorchester boxer a unanimous point's decision.

Dorchester's head coach Ben Geyser said: "It was a very impressive win over a strong opponent. Liam has a great career to look forward to with the advantage of youth, size, power and form, and thoroughly deserved the victory. Well done Liam!"

Just before the start of the tournament Gosney was asked to make up the programme at short notice, and was matched against Ricky Dynard from Bideford Camp in the second

bout of the evening.

Although it was billed as a skills bout (a fight showing the skills but with no result), both boxers squared up to each other meaning business.

Gosney, brave and reckless with a style that is difficult to oppose, made himself difficult to catch cleanly.

Dynard's style was off the jab, punches were straight but predictable, moving in and out in a straight line, whilst Gosney darted from side to side, bowling over dangerous left's from a narrow side stance, and slipping stabbing rights inside Dynard's guard.

The home boxer thought he could take Gosney's blows, but visibly tired as the match continued, and a good three punch combination in the third saw Dynard hanging on at the bell, when the referee raised both hands.

LATE REPLACEMENT: Jamie Gosney (right) and Ricky Dynard at the presentation



# Maganti downs YMCA bid

YMCA are one of five teams jostling for supremacy at the top of the Weymouth & District League's first division but their title ambitions took a hammer blow as they suffered a narrow 19-18 against fast-improving Wyke Regis A at Rymeads Lane.

Sai Maganti gave the hosts, who were searching for only their second league win of the season, a huge lift with an impressive 3-1 defeat of YM number one John Cox (7) in the first rubber of the night before Neil Richards (7) added further belief to the Wyke cause by outwit-

ting Brian Hansford (5) in four sets.

The vastly improved Magenti, buoyed by his early success, completed a magnificent treble as he proved too strong for both Hansford and Ken Brake (4) who both succumbed in four while Richards 3-0 upset of Brake kept Wyke ahead.

However, luckless Steve White failed to grab a set which allowed YM to level at 16 apiece going into the doubles and it then took a terrific effort from Magenti and Richards to fight back from 2-1 down to overcome the seasoned

pairing of Cox and Hansford 5-11, 11-5, 6-11, 11-7, 11-4 to complete a first class victory.

A week later and Wyke were involved in another closely fought scrap when they welcomed All Saints A, without talisman Paul Carter, to the Community Hall.

Again Magenti found top gear with a his 3-1 success over Steve Rook (7) the highlight after routine wins over both Chris Whitehead (6) and Keith Thompson (4) while White (5) enjoyed a far better night that included a fine five-sets triumph over Thompson.

When Richards (4) just sneaked past

Thompson in another five-setter the home side were holding a slender 18-17 advantage going into the doubles but, as is so often the case, the trailing team pulled through 3-2 in a tense final rubber to square the match at 20-20.

In the third tier St. Osmunds' Hawks are emerging as the favourites for promotion as they secured their ninth league victory with a 25-10 success over Preston B.

Both Joe Boardman and Josh Harman hit maximums with the former not dropping a set while Chris Webb (4) enjoyed the game of the night – a five-sets win over David Muldoon (2).

## Wessex Delivery finally responds to speedway supporters

FOLLOWING the *View Sport's* story last week regarding the lack of response to the Weymouth Speedway supporters letters to developers Morgan Sindall, a statement was received from Julie Martin, who is spearheading the support of local businessman Harold Doonan to revive racing at the Wessex Raceway.

The statement reads: "After a seven week delay, coincidentally on the same day that a local free newspaper revealed future plans for a demonstration at the grand opening of the Morgan Sindall built Weymouth "Community Fire Station", Wessex Delivery (a company in partnership with Morgan Sindall Group Plc) finally deigned to reply to Harold Doonan.

The brief letter - signed Wessex Delivery LLP - notes that that the board of Wessex Delivery has: "made its position clear regarding the use of the land" and that: "We have no plans at the moment to lease out the Wessex track for motorsport activities".

Wessex Delivery blamed their tardy and unilluminating response on a need: "To consult our partners before responding".

Harold Doonan who heads a consortium trying to revive the Wildcats was, nonetheless, grateful for their response. "I would like to thank Wessex Delivery for their correspondence and the fact that they have kindly offered to contact me should the decision alter in the future. However, whilst the track lays dormant, and in the continuing absence of future plans for it, there is always still a possibility of a return. I have a meeting scheduled for next week with several parties interested in maintaining the fight to keep the club alive where we shall discuss where in our local community to stage our demonstration as well as where our quest will take us next."

The paper has been advised that the statement from Save Weymouth Speedway Campaign printed in last week's paper is incorrect with regards to the information on who to write to regarding protesting about the possible change of planning use at the Wessex Raceway.

The supporters are worried that despite the 'leisure' allocation issued over 50 years ago, West Dorset District Council has been quoted as saying they would consider a change of use if it were asked.

The pro-speedway supporters feel that this could open the possibility of houses being built on the land, and therefore the loss of the stadium.

Cllr Ian Gardner who is the ward councillor that includes the Wessex Raceway, says that any letters of protest should be sent to him at: Cllr Ian C Gardner, Dorset CC and West Dorset DC, Strawberry Cottage, Butter Street, Moonfleet, Weymouth, Dorset DT3 4EE.

He has also advised that as the land comes under West Dorset District Council, anyone who wishes to make their feelings known can also write to Rt Hon Oliver Letwin MP, House of Commons, London SW1A 0AA.

## Beaminster crush Poole in relegation decider

### POOLE 0 BEAMINSTER 6

BEAMINSTER preserved their Channel 1 status with an exhilarating performance to crush Poole by 6-0 and relegate their hosts.

Two goals up at the break, Beaminster cantered through the second-half and added another four to their tally to get revenge for their 1-0 home defeat in early February which saw the West Dorset side slip into danger.

With Poole having been deducted three points for not fulfilling their game at league leaders Salisbury 2nd the week before, it meant that Beaminster only needed a point from the game to ensure safety, but they did not sit back, but attacked from the start. Although they created several openings in the first ten minutes they found themselves unable to convert their chances.

Finally Harriet Hughes turned Beaminster's superiority into goals when she swept the ball home at the far post and it was not long before Jackie Gape added the second with a strike from the top of the D from a short corner routine.

Very little was seen of the Poole attack, but Rachel Andrews was forced into an important save just before half-time to ensure Beaminster went

in with high spirits.

They continued to dominate after the break and Julia May added the third when as the injector, the ball was returned to her from a short corner to score inside the post.

Beaminster were in full flow now and Becky Craddock scored a rare goal; running from deep in her own half with a fine solo run and powerful finish.

Gape added a second with a fine strike from the top of the D before Freya Crawford rounded off the scoring when she slapped the ball home at the far post.

This was an excellent team performance with Beaminster showing the kind of determination and camaraderie that they have shown throughout the season.

The win sees the West Dorset side finally finish fifth in an eight team league, the win promoting them above Bournemouth 4th's and Yeovil & Sherborne 3rd's by virtue of a far superior goal difference, with Poole relegated.

■ **Team:** Rachel Andrews; Sarah Davies, Nina Spicer, Becky Craddock; Danni Donovan, Jackie Gape, Ali White; Harriet Hughes, Julia May, Emma Davies, Freya Crawford, Toni Aplin.

## Fish in short supply

MEMBERS of West Bay Sea Angling Club have had a busy month but it appears that in the main the fish have been away on their holidays, although last Thursday's fish at West Bay suggested they are returning.

### Thursday, March 24th West Bay 1900-2230

TWENTY TWO members signed on to fish at West Bay. Many chose to fish East Beach, which proved the best area, as this produced the top three.

The evening was warm and calm with plenty of dogfish and pout being caught; John Coombs catching a fine specimen of 765g.

1st Hugh Rathbone 5280g dogfish, dab, plaice and pout  
2nd Oliver Mears 3680g dogfish, pollack and pout  
3rd Tony Coles 3425g dogfish and pout

Heaviest Fish: Steve Fowles 865g dogfish, Most Species: John Coombs three, Top Lady: Frances Kitchin 1365g

### Sunday, March 20th Cogden 1300-1800.

TWENTY ONE members fished the match, with high hopes of catching some plaice as reports had filtered through that plenty had been caught in the week, but only four small ones were caught.

Though not many fish were caught the members enjoyed a warm sunny day.

1st Mark Kershaw 290g flounder  
2nd Simon Bowditch 270g plaice  
3rd Adam Cullingford 225g plaice  
Heaviest Fish: Mark Kershaw 290g flounder, Most Species: Oliver Mears and Louis Smith 1 each.

### Thursday, March 10th Lyme Regis 1900-2230.

SIXTEEN members signed on to fish the match from various venues within Lyme Regis, the best choice on the night was the North wall. Monmouth beach fished poorly with only a few rockling and pout. Steve Fowles did manage to catch one good rockling of 310g, and the only dogfish of the night was caught by Frances Kitchin. Pete Runcieman did find a couple of flounders.

1st Frances Kitchin 1kg 910g pout, dogfish and rockling  
2nd Craig Horton 1kg 215g rockling, pout and pollack  
3rd Pete Runcieman 1kg 105g pout, flounder and rockling  
Heaviest Fish: Frances Kitchin 930g dogfish, Most Species: PJ Wheeler three.

### Thursday, February 24th Eype 1900-2230.

TWENTY ONE members fished the match; they all enjoyed a warm calm evening.

The competitors fished a rising tide with high tide at 2300. Most of the fish that were caught came from the rocky ground, on mackerel or ragworm bait.

The sandy ground in front of the car park produced only few small pout.

1st Adam Cullingford 2kg 385g dogfish, pout and rockling  
2nd PJ Wheeler 1 kg 920g dogfish and pout  
3rd Paul House 1 kg 720g dogfish, pout and rockling  
Top Lady: Lyn Mudford 170g pout, Heaviest Fish: Adam Cullingford 880g dogfish, Most Species: Phil Maggs four.



## RUGBY ROUND-UP

WITH KEITH JENKIN

# Must win game ahead for Bridport

THERE wasn't much rugby played locally last Saturday. The WEYMOUTH club, originally without a fixture, managed to arrange an 11th hour gallop against the touring HEMEL HEMPSTEAD, while DORCHESTER were also planning to entertain a touring side and putting out a mixture of first, second and third team players.

PUDDLETOWN'S only involvement was at vets level and were playing at Poole. BRIDPORT however had a 'catch up' league fixture to fulfil at DEVIZES, and an important one it was, in the context of their entire season.

### DEVIZES 21pts BRIDPORT 7pts

BRIDPORT failed to get any joy from their trip to Devizes, going down by three tries to one and, because they did not achieve anything from this game by way of league points, their relegation problems have increased accordingly.

Sadly, on the day, misfortune beset them. They incurred two injuries to front row players before the game was 20 minutes old and the contest had to revert to uncontested scrums midway through the first-half. This is a far from satisfactory state of affairs and causes disruption.

The home side, whom Bridport would have been targeting to beat, kicked three first-half penalties and, although the visitors responded with a Will Everett try, converted by Idris Croft, they still trailed 9-7 at the halfway stage.

Their injury woes continued into

the second period and, having used their allocated substitutes, they finished the game with several on field players carrying knocks.

Devizes took advantage by scoring a couple of second-half tries. They added the extras to one of them for good measure, putting distance between the sides. Bridport could not respond and now have a sizable task on their hands if they are to avoid relegation.

### WEYMOUTH 48pts HEMEL HAMPSTEAD 5pts

A WEYMOUTH side composed of all ages and abilities, from colts to dobbins, took on a like-minded Hemel Hempstead 15 and a good fun game of rugby football ensued.

The home side had more skill where it mattered and ran out comfortable winners in the end, scoring tries through Shaun Diplock (three), Rob Rendall, Les Moon, Dan Bowditch, Rich Polley, and Lewis Allan. Les Moon and Lewis Allan kicked a couple of conversions apiece to complete the scoring.

The visitors, who had contributed much more to the occasion than the score suggests, scored an unconverted try by way of a consolation.

### PREVIEW

SATURDAY next sees the penultimate round of league fixtures taking place, and I think that the local sides will, almost without exception, be fully tested.

BRIDPORT face what will, almost certainly, be the most important game of their season when they

visit MARLBOROUGH. The home side reside just one place above the Brewery Field Brigade in the Southern Counties league (South) and are five points clear.

Realistically speaking Bridport have to go there and notch a bonus point win if they are to have a chance of avoiding relegation.

Now I witnessed the game between these sides at Bridport earlier in the season when the visitors came out on top, after a pretty turgid encounter, by a score.

I got the impression on that occasion that they won because they wanted it more, and they will certainly see Saturday's game as an opportunity to preserve their league status for another season. I believe that Bridport have been playing better in recent weeks, although their record does not demonstrate that fact.

Ability wise they can certainly throw themselves a lifeline, but will have to take their A game with them.

I'll bet this one will be a nail biter, and the final result too close to call. I do feel that the acquiring of a winning bonus point will be beyond the visitors however, but let's hope they can do so.

DORCHESTER for their part, embark on what is, on paper anyway, their most difficult game of the campaign when they visit SALISBURY who are already confirmed as champions of the Southern Counties (South), and who bested the county town side comfortably at Dorchester a few weeks ago.

Dorchester do have the ability to

score tries against any opposition however and I take this to be a high scoring encounter with Salisbury gaining a bonus point win after a free-flowing game.

WEYMOUTH play at home against relatively near neighbours IVEL BARBARIANS. Now these opponents, newly relegated as they were back in September, would have been quietly confident of bouncing straight back into the Southern Counties Division.

They have not done so and lie, with the home side, just out of the promotion race. Weymouth won the earlier match at Yeovil by the narrowest of margins (8-7, I think) and I take them to win another close encounter. Although, with Weymouth, one never really knows!

PUDDLETOWN too play at home. They entertain SWANAGE & WAREHAM 3rd a side who lie next to them in the mid table of the Dorset & Wilts League Division Two (South), and who bested them by a single point in the earlier fixture. Puddletown could well reverse that result, for they seem to have improved as the season has gone on, and will want to close their home league programme with a win.

As to the second sides, Bridport seconds are due to face East Dorset seconds at the Brewery Field. I see that they had to concede the earlier fixture against these opponents earlier in the season and, as they do seem to be relegation bound, I cannot realistically believe that they will resurrect their fortunes in this game.

Weymouth seconds have a real

tester in view. They can still have a chance of a promotion place, but to attain it they will certainly have to best Salisbury thirds who beat them by a couple of scores earlier on.

Weymouth will not fear the journey however, having just trimmed the league leaders very comfortably. A win, although essential, will not be easy.

Dorchester seconds, like their Bridport counterparts, encountered team raising difficulties when due to travel to Saturday's opponents Salisbury seconds, who will travel with every confidence of returning home with a win.

Dorchester thirds however came out on top of Saturday's opponents, Verwood, very comfortably in the reverse fixture, and should do so again.

### FIXTURES 9th April

Bridport v Marlborough (away); Bridport 2nd v East Dorset (home); Chard v Tor (away); Chard 2nd v Tor 2nd (home); Chard 3rd v Wells 3rd (away); Crewkerne v Martock (away); Dorchester v Salisbury (away); Dorchester 2nd v Salisbury 2nd (home); Dorchester 3rd v Verwood (away); Honiton v Teignmouth (away); Honiton 2nd v Torquay 3rd (away); Puddletown v Swanage & Wareham 3rd (home); Sidmouth v Ivybridge (home); Sidmouth 2nd v Ivybridge 2nd (away); Sidmouth 3rd v Ivybridge 3rd (home); Sidmouth Colts v Paignton Colts (away); Weymouth v Ivel Barbarians (home); Weymouth 2nd v Salisbury 3rd (away).

## Afghan Heroes Day

LOCAL sporting organisations are joining forces this summer to raise money for Afghan Heroes, the charity dedicated to the welfare of those directly involved in the conflict.

Clubs representing boxing, cricket, football, rugby, darts and pool will be organising an event each on Saturday July 2nd at the Bridport Leisure Centre and Bridport Football Club's St Mary's Field, where it is expected that major stars from the relevant sports will attend and participate.

The public will, by purchasing a £10 ticket, have access to all the events which will run from 10am until midnight. It is hoped that there will also be music in the evening.

Full details and more about the day, which it is hoped will raise thousands of pounds for the charity, in our paper next week.

## Yeovil & District Mixed tennis

DIV 1	Pld	Pts	DIV 3	Pld	Pts
Sherborne A.....	12	96	Beaminster.....	12	71
Martock A.....	12	82	Wincanton.....	12	68
Melcombe Reg.....	12	72	Yeovil B.....	12	67
Charmouth.....	12	63	Somerton B.....	12	66
Yeovil A.....	12	49	Bridport A.....	12	63
Chard A.....	12	31	Misterton A.....	12	50
Sherborne B.....	12	27	Somerton C.....	12	36

DIV 2	Pld	Pts	DIV 4	Pld	Pts
S.Petherton A.....	10	82	Bridport B.....	12	81
Ilminster.....	10	66	S.Petherton B.....	12	74
Martock B.....	10	45	Martock C.....	12	72
Somerton A.....	10	44	Yeovil C.....	12	57
Chard B.....	10	36	Misterton B.....	12	46
Weymouth A.....	10	27	Sutton Montis.....	12	46
			Weymouth B.....	12	44

## Classy win for local duo in rally classic

LOCAL Bridport rallying duo Rex Ireland and Adrian Scadding took their foot off the pedal halfway through the Bulldog International Rally of North Wales on Saturday to ensure they won their class.

Having finished 15th in the Historic section overall last year, and third in their class (C2), the couple from Charmouth and Bridport respectively, decided that as they were not going to win the overall prize, they would ensure they claimed the class victory.

By Stage 5 of the thirteen they held ninth overall position and were almost a minute ahead of their nearest rivals so slowed to ensure they completed the circuit.

With Ireland having finished second in the first stage of this year's Dulux Trade MSA British Rally Championship, in which Scadding was unable to navigate because of a back problem, he now leads the class overall.

Scadding said: "We lost time in the first stage when our intercom packed up which meant Rex had to drive without me shouting my notes, but apart from that it was trouble free; I've never known one like it before!"

The Dorchester team of Jake Scannell (driver) and Tom Ward racing in the same class in their Mazda RX7 had to retire on Stage 5 when they ran out of fuel.

## Youth cricketers' practice underway

MARTINSTOWN Cricket Club kick start their youth practice sessions every week on the following nights;

**Under 9** – Wednesday April 20th (18:00-19:00),

**Under 11 & 13** – Wednesday April 20th (18:00-19:30),

**Under 15** - Friday April 15th (17:00 – 18:30)

There will also be a cricket camp on Monday April 18th (10am- 4pm or half day). This is open to all ages and members/non-members as well. Martinstown will have club coaches in attendance throughout the day as well as West Dorset Head Coach Sean Fitzgerald.

"This will be a really good opportunity for youngsters to receive some excellent coaching ahead of the season as well as enjoying what we are sure will be a fun day. Please contact Mike Clarke (details below) for more information or to book a place.

Martinstown's Joint Youth Co-ordinator, Lee House said: "The coaches at Martinstown have been very busy gaining coaching qualifications, helping coach West Dorset District squads and creating a challenging but fun coaching programme for 2011.

Sean Fitzgerald will also be running five sessions at Martinstown, and this will vary the coaching programme and

further inspire our young players."

The club, who offer 'cricket for all', are based at the beautiful Ashton Field located between Dorchester, Weymouth and Bridport and have sides in the West Dorset under 11, 13, 15 and 18 leagues, plus play under 9 friendlies.

House continues: "We have a well established youth setup at Martinstown, mainly based upon the hard work of Jon Nichols over the past ten years. Jon has decided to step down, but will continue to coach which is tremendous news, and we would like to thank him; we have a real platform to build upon.

"We have a hungry group of passionate coaches and helpers, superb facilities including a new practice area at the far side of the ground, and because we own our ground, we can keep membership costs low (£20 with no fee for approximately 15 training nights).

"We have a real sense of 'family spirit' in our club which makes Ashton a very friendly and special place."

Mike Clarke, who is the other Youth Coordinator added "Our youngsters often feed into our various adult sides, many have represented West Dorset or Dorset plus the odd one has even been an England net bowler!

"We are a close knit club who know that our success and growth as a club

is dependant upon a flourishing youth system.

"We have invested heavily in our youth setup and we are ambitious at all levels.

"However we stick to our core values: respect, hard work and most importantly, fun. These are the traits we encourage in our younger, and indeed older players."

Clarke finished with: "Anyone can get involved in our club and we welcome new players of all ages.

"All teams have dedicated, qualified coaches and equipment is available for those who require it.

"If you would like some more information, please contact the club through the various channels below, or turn up on the night."

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## INSIDE: Lyme Regis loses long-serving bowler

# Cup glory as Lyme retain Coronation trophy

LYME Regis enjoyed an excellent 48 hours in which they lifted the Coronation Cup and made-up ground on one of their rivals in the Perry Street League title race.

On Thursday evening a late goal from Jason Hawker saw off the challenge of a stubborn Perry Street side as The Seaside won the Coronation cup for the eighth time with a 2-1 victory at Bridport.

Two days later Lyme went goals crazy netting seven times against relegation-haunted West & Middle Chinnock.

One of the highlights was superb strike from Julien Simier, whose return after recovering from a perforated ear-drum has given the whole club a lift ahead of the crucial end of season

By HOWARD LARCOMBE

run-in. Lyme Reserves also enjoyed a home victory in the first of the season's double-headers at the Davey Fort.

The Reserves gave their hopes of avoiding a drop back down into division two after a run of 17 years a huge boost with goals from Fred Thomson and Luke Street in a 2-1 win over Ilminster Colts.

There were two midweek games scheduled for the Seaside; the first team were due to entertain Farway last night (Tuesday) whilst the Reserves welcome Netherbury tomorrow.

Next Saturday Lyme first play their final away game of the season when they travel to Ilminster Reserves.

The Reserves are at home to Norton whilst the Bantams, now bottom of division three, have a must-win home clash with rivals Millwey Rise Reserves.

Meanwhile Uplyme edged past Chard Rangers last weekend courtesy of a late header from James Beddows whilst Orrin Newbury and Paul Miners both scored twice as Charmouth recorded one of the shocks of the day in beating Perry Street Reserves 5-0 to record their biggest win for two years. Uplyme visit Shepton Beauchamp on Saturday, Charmouth travel to Millwey Rise.



◆ **SCORCHER:** Julien Simier celebrates his return from injury with a fierce drive for the Seaside's sixth goal in Saturday's 7-2 thrashing of West & Middle Chinnock at the Davey Fort. Photo by PERCY VERE



◆ **CHAMPIONS:** Lyme Regis players celebrate after Thursday's Coronation Cup Final triumph. Photo by JON MATTHEWS

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